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A passenger train [illegible]cked on the Southern Railwa[illegible] Union Level, Va., early yeste[illegible]rning, the coaches turning over [illegible] passengers being injured——[illegible]ted States District Attorney H[illegible]en steps to prosecute the two [illegible]ucket shops which aided and abetted Paying Teller Chisiom to embezzle $150,000 from the First National Bank of Birmingham, Ala.——In New York yesterday a third man swore out a warrant for Mrs. Helen Hamilton alleging that she got $1,000 from him by promising to mary him; from another man she got $4,500——The South Carolina cotton anufacturers have made radical changes in credit and allowances and have decided to quit practicaly buying jobbers and exporters to handle their products on a parity with those of the New England mills; Southern products have improved to such extent that the mills can declare their independence——Near Greenwood, S. C., yesterday, Bob Davis, negro, cut a young lady's throat and nearly severed her fingers from her hand in an attempt to assault her; he will be lynched, a fate which befell his ebrothr 12 years ago——The Brooklyn rapid Transit Company was compelled to stop running its surface cars to Coney Island in order to put an end to incessant riots because passengers objected to the increaed fare of 10 cents instead of five——President Stensland, of Chicago's looted bank, assisted by a woman, made extensive preparations for his flight——Steward Battaile, telegraph operator for the Atlantic Coast Line at Acre, near Petersburg, was killed by liyhtning yesterday evening——New York markets: Money on call steady, 3 to 4 per cent., ruling rate 3 1-2, closing bid 2 8-4, offered at 3; spot cotton 20 points lower, closing quiet at 10.40; flour quiet, unchanged; wheat easy; No. 2, red, 77 elevator; corn easy, No. 2, 57 3-4 elevator; oats easy, mixed, 37 1-2; turpentine quiet, 61½ to 62; rosin steady.

Lynchers Hall's experience shows that even a lyncher would fare better if he could prove a good character.

South Carolina doesn't have to have an opposition party in order to get variety and hilarity out of politics.

'Man caries his superiority inside, animals theirs outside," is a Russian adage, and it is a pretty good one.

Col. Bryan seems to be going after Roger Sullivan clean from Paris. This puts an international aspect on the case and Sullivan may enjoy the notoriety.

Nobody in West Virginia wants the money caried by that Syrian leper. It is regarded as too "tainted" to be taken for anything that the fellow wants to buy.

"If Mr. Taft is elected President, Theodore Roosevelt will enter his cabinet as Secretary of State," says the Washington Post. Then it would appear that there is more ways than one to give Roosevelt a third term.

A magistrate in Brooklyn declares that a man who contemplates matrimony on a salary of $5 a week ought to be sent to jail. Where ought the girl who would marry him be sent?

Grand Duke Nicholas refuses to act as dictator in Russia. After hearing the bullets sing around his head last week while he was drilling those soldiers he doesn't propose to take any more chances.

The Iowa Democrats declare in their platform for "a tariff for revenue only." Even if we have a tariff for revenue it would have to be a big tariff to make up revenue to foot the big expenses already incurred by the Republicans. It would require several years of Democratic administration to get things down to a good old Democratic basis.

Editor W. C. Dowd, of the Charlotte News, has been nominated by Mecklenburg for the House of Representatives. He is going to be elected, of course, and is a candidate for Speaker of the House. We don't know who all are going to run for Speaker but if the bunch is as upright, capable and courtly as Dowd, we couldn't miss having a Speaker that would be an honor to the State.

LEGISLATIVE RACE

Dr. N. M. Culbreth Announces That He Will Be a Candidate at Primary

WILL OPPOSE COL. MORTON

Municipal Ownership and Local Option Platform Announced—Response To Petition From Citizens Asking Him to Enter Contest.

Dr. N. M. Culbreth, a leading dentist of this city and a gentleman not unacquainted with public affairs having served more than one term in a legislative capacity from Columbus county, announced yesterday that he would be a candidate for the lower house of the next General Assembly from New Hanover county. The announcement was in response to a very strong endorsement from citizens asking him to make the race and assuring him of their cordial support. It was also announced yesterday that Mr. Woodus Kellum would not be a candidate for the place and this leaves the field to Col. George L. Morton, who announced himself some time ago, and Dr. Culbreth. Both have strong supporters and the campaign is expected to be spirited.

The petitions of citizens asking Dr. Culbreth to make the race are based on his views favorable to municipal ownership of public utilities, water works and sewerage being specifically mentioned. Dr. Culbreth in announcing himself in a communication in the afternoon paper, says:

"I making this announcement I think it only proper and right I should state my position on some questions which are likely to come before that body for consideration. I am strongly in favor of municipal ownership of waterworks and sewerage for our city, and that these be furnished to our people at a price as low as is consistent with good service, and that they be so constructed as to reach every part of the city in order that all our people may enjoy the benefit thereof, and that every possible effort be made to keep pure, wholesome water suitable for drinking as well as for all domestic purposes. If I am elected I will do all I can by legislative enactment to asisst in this praiseworthy undertaking.

Local option is another question our people are divided on. Some favoring open saloons while others oppose them. I have always favored a majority ruling on this question as well as others, and will take this position as a member of the Legislature. In other words, I am in favor of the law as it now applies to this county remaining as it is so that people, when they desire to do so, can vote on the question and settle it for themselves. I shall also favor all measures which come before the Legislature having for their object the upbuilding of our city and county, and will do all I can in every way to accomplish the greatest good for the greatest number of our people. Thanking you for the interest manifested in my behalf, I am yours truly,

NEILL M. CULBRETH.

By a Wilmington Composer.

The Star has with the compliments of the composer two new pieces of sheet music by Mr. W. Scott Decker, of this city. One is "Nev-er," as sung with big success by the Acme Male Quartette of Wilmington, and the other is "Alice, I Love Thee," a high class ballad, words by Ella Fenley McKee. Competent musical critics pronounce the productions of a very high order. They are published by the Dixie Music Company, of Wilmington, and are on sale at Stieff's Music House.

North Carolina Pine Association.

A meeting of the North Carolina Pine Association will be held at Hamlet on Tuesday of this week and a large attendance is expected. The meeting will be especially of interest to the dimension mill people of this section and they will be present in large numbers. Nearly every lumber mill interest in Wilmington will be represented. The delegates will go up on the eary morning train Thursday.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Steamer Wilmington—Trip to Pier.

C. P. Bolles & Co.—Paying securities.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Desk Room.

J. G. Wright & Son—Residence for Sale.

EXCURSIONS GALORE

Three Arrived Yesterday and Two Others Come To-day—Bookings By Railroads Heavy for Balance of Season—Georgia Rates.

The town was full of excursionists yesterday. They came from the four points of the compass and had a good time to all appearances. A part of them are here yet and will remain until to-morow. Those that are here will be joined by two other large parties to-day and from now on to the end of the season the bookings by the railroads indicate that there will be many strangers in the city and at the beaches. In the country "crops are laid by" and everybody is at comparative leisure so that they find time to run to the seashore for a breath of Old Ocean.

One of the largest excursions of the season bringing between 700 and 800 people, reached the city over the Coast Line at 11 o'clock yesterday morning from Mount Olive. Fussell Brothers were in charge and brought a well behaved and interesting party. They spent the day in the city and at the beaches and returned last night. Before they left another large party reached the city on two sections of a train over the Seaboard Air Line yesterday afternoon from Chester, Rutherfordton and Charlotte. On the two sections there were about 500 people but a large number of them were colored. The train left Rutherfordton at 6:30 yesterday morning and Charlotte at 10:30 A. M., reaching here about 5 o'clock. The visitors will remain in the city until to-morrow afternoon, giving two days and nights at the seashore. The crowds will be augmented to-day by two big excursions from Dunn and Fremont, N. C. It is expected that there will be fully 1,500 strangers in the city to-night. Other excursionists are booked this week from Florence, S. C., and several points in Georgia from which the railroads are advertising their annual low rates to mountain and seaside resorts.

A CERTIFICATE REFUSED.

Opinion of Attorney General In Matter of Tobacco Company.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 14.—On [illegible]e strength of an opinion rendered this afternoon by Attorney General Gilmer Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes declines to issue a certificate of domestication to Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company, of New Jersey. The ruling of the Attorney General was on the question whether the certificate of incorporation submitted by the New Jersey concern should be filed and a certificate of authority issued to it to transact business in North Carolina. He holds that the New Jersey concern has not complied with the act of 1901 requiring foreign corporations of its class to file with the Secretary of State a copy of its charter before being allowed to do business in the State and in the meantime the company of Durham under the name of Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company was chartered July 26th while the New Jersey company was doing business in the State only by license. So it cannot question the right of the domestic corporation to use in its business in this State the same name as that of the foreign corporation.

The State of North Carolina therefore, declares the Attorney General, had the power to grant a charter to Blackwell's Durham Company, of Durham, and having already done so, he does not think it would be proper to issue a certificate of authority to another corporation to do business in the State under the same name.

MAYOR'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Number of Defendants Were Arraigned for Various Offences..

In the Mayor's court yesterday a number of cases of more or less interest were disposed of. Less Godwin, arrested by Officer M. C. Huggins for being drunk and down, was let off with the costs. Joe Herring, colored, charged with gambling, was fortunate enough to have the warrant amended to disorderly conduct and he was sentenced to 30 days on the roads. Minnie Merritt, a notoriously degraded white woman, found drunk and down at Hilton Bridge, was given choice of leaving the city or serving 30 days at the farm. She got out of town instanter. The other cases yesterday were of no special interest.

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ALDERMEN TANGLED

Permit to Standard Oil Company Has Stirred Up Interested Property Owners

OBJECT TO TANK LOCATION

New Storage at Second and Brunswick Has Created a Muss—Special Meeting Last Night Did Not Materialize—Other Notes.

The erection of a large steel storage reservoir or tank by the Standard Oil Company at southeast corner of Second and Brunswick streets in this city has stirred up quite a muss among twenty or more property owners in that section of the city. The result is an appeal to the Board of Aldermen to rescind its action of some time ago permitting the company to erect the tank at this location and a special meeting of the Board to consider the question was called for last night, but it was agreed beforehand that the required 24 hours notice had not been given and therefore no meeting was held. A recess was taken, however, until 5 o'clock to-morrow afternoon at which time it is expected that there will be a lively session.

The Board of Aldermen finds itself "between the devil and the deep blue sea," so to speak, in that strong pressure is being brought to bear by property owners to have the permit revoked while the Standard Oil Company pleads that the Board has no moral or legal right to act in bad faith, especially after the site upon which the tank is being built has been bought on the strength of the permit and the work has already been started and considerable expense has been incurred in that respect. It is barely possible that some compromise may be effected in the way of building extra safeguards against fire around the premises, but there is going to be lots of talk before anything is done.

The meeting last night was called together promptly at 8 o'clock, Mayor Waddell presiding and members present being Messrs. M. Rathjen, J. A. Karr, M. O'Brien, E. F. Johnson, R. W. Price, W. H. Yopp, W. W. King and P. Q Moore, the latter having come in too late to participate in the proceedings which were short lived. There were also present City Attorney Bellamy, City Engineer P. Matthew, and a number of protesting citizens including Messrs. D. J. Prease, Thos. H. Wright, W. McD. Evans, Mr. Otersen and others. Mr. W. R. Barksdale, superintendent of the Standard Oil Company; his attorney, Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., and Mr. W. L. Burkheimer, of D. R. Foster & Co., who sold the property to the Standard Oil Company, were also in attendance.

The Mayor opened the meeting by reading the call which was signed by Mesrs. O'Brien, Johnson, W. E. Yopp, Karr and Rathjen. It was stated as being for the purpose of taking some action in regard to a petition from citizens protesting against the erection of the Standard Oil Tank at Second and Brunswick streets and for transacting such other business as might come before the meeting. The Mayor explained that the petition for a meeting was brought to him at Wrightsville Beach Monday night about 8 o'clock after he had left his office for the day at 5 o'clock and although there was not time to give the members the required notice of 24 hours, he had forwarded the call to the Chief of Police and asked him to summon the Board together. Mr. Karr asked the Mayor for his opinion as to the legality of the meeting. The Mayor explained the passage of the resolution adopted last September requiring that members be given 24 hours notice of any meeting and said it was up to the Aldermen themselves to say what they desired to do. Mr. Rathjen asked the City Attorney's opinion at the suggestion of the Mayor and the Board was advised that any action would be illegal. Mr. Yopp then had the City Attorney to draw up another call for a meeting to-morrow afternoon as stated. The members present were given the required notice and the others who were absent will be notified today by the City Clerk and Treasurer. The call stipulates that the Standard Oil matter and any other busines may be taken up.

The Board then adjourned, but the members lingered about the hall for some time discussing the matter. Mr. Barksdale made a plea that the city should not break faith with the company and assured the Board that every precaution against fire would be

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CHILDREN ARE HERE

Little Folks From Odd Fellows' Orphan Home Cordially Received By Wilmington and Southport Lodges Yesterday.

The eighty-odd children, their genial superintendent, Mr. J. F. Brinson, and the matrons, from the I. O. O. F. Orphans' Home at Goldsboro, reached the city yesterday morning on a special car attached to the train from the north and were cordially received by the Odd Fellows of this city and a committee from the lodge at Southport of which the little folks will be guests for a week in Wilmington and at the seashore resorts. The arrivals were a happy, contented lot of young people and they seemed delighted at the propect of the brief respite from the routine of the institution in which they are being brought up. They were met at the station by the local committee of arrangements and many of the Odd Fellow friends at the homes of whom they will be entertained while in the city. The visitors were assured a cordial welcome to the city and the next few days will be devoted by the hosts in doing everything in their power to make the young people especially happy.

The visitors were first taken to the homes where they have been assigned for entertainment while in the city and at 1 o'clock in the afternoon they assembled from all parts of the city on the steamer Sea Gate whence they departed for Southport to become guests of Atlantic Lodge of that city. A tempting lunch was served on the boat to the little folks by the Daughters of Rebekah of Wilmington. The boat left for Southport at 2:30 P. M. and the children reached their destination well before night. They will remain there until 7 o'clock Thursday morning when they will board the boat again for this city, arriving here in time to board a car at 10 o'clock for the Seashore Hotel where they will be the guests for a day of Manager Hinton. That afternoon the children will give a concert in the auditorium of the hotel to which all friends will be cordially welcome.

Friday the children will spend the day in the city and will be entertained individually by Odd Fellows and their friends. The class returns to Goldsboro Saturday morning on the northbound train.

FOR LABOR DAY.

Meeting Last Night—Committee on Arrangements at Work.

A committee representing the several labor unions of the city met in Central Union Hall at 8 o'clock last night to decide on a programme and place of celebration for their annual holiday on September 3rd.

Propositions were received from the management of the two pleasure resorts and were discussed at some length, but final action was deferred until next Friday night, at which time the full programme and other details of the celebration will be announced.

It is proposed to celebrate this year on a larger scale than on former occasions and it is hoped to have in the parade civic and other organiations in addition to the police and fire department, and seven union labor bodies.

The following committee will have the matter in charge and is working with enthusiasm to the end that the day's programme be a success in every particular:

Electric Workers—E C. Yarbrough.

Painters—W. G. Hatch, J. Capps.

Plumbers—H. G. Whitney, I. K. Pinner, and W. Dozier.

Machinists—J. W. Curtis.

Printers—J. H. Curtis, J. F. Stanland and C. H. Huband.

Justice Bornemann on the Hustings.

The first politcal speech of the campaign was made by Justice Bornemann Monday night at Delgado where a platform had been erected and a large number of lights provided. There was a large crowd and a buggy was sent to town for the orator. Justice Borneman spoke to his fellow citizens there for about an hour and was heard with a great deal of interest. The comparatively new settlers in the village were given an interesting account of the days of Republicanism here before the revolution of '98 and were admonished to abide with the old ship of Democracy. The "Judge" incidentally expressed his preference for sheriff in the coming county campaign and was surprised to find so many of the Delgado people who were of the same mind.

TRUCKERS' MEETING

Annual Session of E. C. T. & F. G. Association In Court House This Afternoon

BIG ATTENDANCE EXPECTED

Executive Committee Met Yesterday and Directors Will Assemble This Morning—Supper and Entertainment at the Beach To-night.

The annual meeting of the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Association will be held this afternoon in the Court House in this city. The hour of convening is 2:30 o'clock and already stockholders are arriving to be present and take part in the proceedings. The meeting is one of the most important in the history of the Association and that has been a strong factor in encouraging the large attendance. The meeting will last several hours and later the visitors will be entertained at supper at the Hotel Tarymoore, on Wrightsville Beach, as the guest of local business men who share so largely in the success of the industry in this section.

The meeting this afternoon is preceded by meeting of the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors at which all reports, etc., are formulated and placed in shape for the general meeting. The Executive Committee held two sessions here yesterday in the office of the Association in the Masonic Temple and the Directors will meet at the same place this morning at 10:30 o'clock. It is expected that all of the business will be concluded in time for the afternoon meeting of the stockholders.

The Executive Committee sessions yesterday were presided over by Chairman Wm. E. Springer and members present were Secretary H. T. Bauman, Messrs. W. L. Hill, J. A. Westbrook, J. S. Westbrook and J. A. Brown. The morning session began at 10:30 A. M. and lasted until 1 P. M. The afternoon session lasted until 5 o'clock. The meeting was principally engaged with the annual reports of Business Agent Bauman and others which will be passed upon by the Directors to-day and go up for ratification to the stockholders at their meetings. While none of the proceedings of the Committee are given out until the matters go before the general meeting, it is understood that the reports are very comprehensive and will prove of general interest to the Association.

The Board of Directors is composed of 21 members representing all sections of the trucking belt and it is expected that a large majority of them will be present for the meeting this morning. Several members from the Chadbourn section arrived last night on the late train and others will get here this morning.

Messrs. Wm. E. Springer, Z. W. Whitehead and H. T. Bauman, of this city, compose the committee of arrangements for the entertainment to-night at the Hotel Tarrymoore and every effort will be made to give the visitors a good time. The supper will be at 8 o'clock and special cars for those who desire to attend will leave the city at 7 o'clock. All business men of the city are also invited by the committee.

Well Known Colored Man Dead.

Henry Gause, a well known colored drayman here for years, employed for a long time by Woodie & Currie and a brother of Edward S. Gause, a well known drayman on the wharf at present, died Monday in Washington City where he had lived since abont five years ago. The deceased was respected by white and colored alike and many will hear of his death with regret. The remains will be brought to Wilmington on Thursday morning and the remains will be taken to St. Stephen's church, whence the funeral will be conducted.

The Regatta To-Morrow.

There will be a meeting of fleet captains at the office of Commodore J. VanB. Metts this afternoon for the purpose of agreeing upon the rules and regulations for the annual August regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club at Wrightsville Beach to-morrow. There will be nine entries for the race and a spirited contest is expected to take place. The winner will receive the championship flag of the Club.

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Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, etc., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death

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Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Avertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Representative in Congress—Sixth District: Hannibal L. Godwin, of Harnett.

For Corporation Commissioner: Franklin McNeill, of Wake.

For Judge Superior Court—Fifth District: Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.

For Solicitor Seventh District: Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.

OUR FIRST LYNCHER.

The Raleigh Evening Times, says:

"George Hall, the former convict, could not have been convicted for the crime of lynching so quickly if Rowan county as a whole had endorsed the conduct of the mob. Fifteen years in the penitentiary will teach him the wisdom of permitting somebody else to lead the lawless, and in that time better conditions may prevail in North Carolina. Hall's character and reputation were against him. Had he been a 'prominent' citizen instead of an ex-jail bird it might have been different, but we hope not.

"But Hall was not the only guilty man. There were others—hundreds of them, and they ought to be punished. Solicitor Hammer, Judge Long, and the people of Salisbury seem determined to avenge the crime and we might or we might not be surprised if the investigation should end with the sentence of the convict. There would not be sufficient room in the penitentiary for the five thousand men who composed the mob, yet it would be unjust and ridiculous to stop with Hall.

"However, there is cause for profound gratitude that North Carolina's first lyncher has been covered with striped garments and chained."

The Times says well. The Governor and the Rowan authorities should see that others equally as guilty as Hall are punished. He should not be made the scapegoat. The authorities should not rest on their laurels.

COAL IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The United States Geological Survey in a recent bulletin says this concerning coal production in North Carolina:

"For several years practicaly all the coal production of North Carolina has been from one mine, the Cumnock, near Egypt, in Chatham county. The output has been very irregular and during the last three years has notably declined. The largest production in recent years was in 1899, when 26,896 short tons were mined. There are two areas in North Carolina, says Mr. E. W. Parker, statistician of the United States Geological Survey, in a forthcoming report, in which coal occurs. Both of these are found in the Triassic formation and are of the same age as the Richmond coal basin, in Virginia. The two areas are known as the Deep and Dan river fields, being named from the two rivers that drain them. The only productive beds at present are those in the Deep River district, in Chatham and Moore counties."

Few people in North Carolina, perhaps, are aware that the coal mines at Egypt or Glendon in Chatham county are being operated. Little, however, is said about the progress made there and probably outside of the coal mining company no one is aware of the productiveness of the mines. Those mines are in the Deep River field.

The coal veins at Walnut Cove are not being worked at present, we understand. There is a coal in that region that is almost like anthracite, and a few years ago there was a movement to develop them but we do not know what became of the operations. The deposits around Walnut Cove are in the Dan River region.

A thorough survey of the State would no doubt discover coal in at least two more places in North Carolina and we would not be surprised some of these days to see two other "fields" added to the two named by the Geological Survey.

JUDGE FERGUSON ON LYNCHING

The Superior Court convened at Lexington on Monday, Judge Ferguson presiding. The Judge is well known in Wilmington, and it is gratifying to learn that in his charge to the Grand Jury he did not miss the oportunity to speak out on lynch law. A correspondent writes that his charge was able and exhaustive, and gives this synopsis of His Honor's remarks:

"He said that the law of self-defense is as old as civilization and older. He made the point that for a mob to kill a prisoner in the clutches of the law, when deprived of the right of self-defense and with no opportunity to flee, was most fearful murder. Men mask themselves, criminals in disguise, and hope by this means to escape. Then they draw into their circle men of influence and power so that the grand jury dare not find bills of indictment. These are the men who place dynamite. These men have all the safeguards which they have denied those they kill. Those taken out and lynched are robbed of the right of self-defense and the right to face their accusers in open court with the aid of counsel. The climax of this kind of lawlessness is reached when a court is sitting to investigate crime, when a special venire is ordered and the machinery of the law is safe and sure, and a mob takes charge and attempts to 'take the law into its own hand,' but it really never does, for none can take away the constitution and laws of a State. The affair lately in Rowan is a blot on the fair name of the State. And public sentiment half way condones it. The same hand of God which marked Cain will mark those engaged in such crimes. In order to remove these conditions, we must recur to fundamental principles. Every man who votes, is a citizen or holds office, must take an oath to support the constitution and laws of his State. If men only realized the significance of these oaths, they would not become timid under these circumstances. Most criminals begin a career of crime by a series of minor crimes. In order to prevent large crimes, small ones should not go unpunished."

Judge Ferguson's charge to that jury ought to be read and pondered all over North Carolina. The Star in discussing the Salisbury lynching mentioned the obligations of the citizen in his oath to support the laws of his state and we are glad that Judge Ferguson emphasized it.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

—Col. Bryan should let Roger Sullivan be and hit a fellow of his own size.—Charleston News and Courier.

—We are compelled to admit that some men we don't like are quite popular and prosperous.—Atchison Globe.

—Mrs. Esac is pursuing the President. Another woman is suing the President's secretary. Seems to be a case of sue and pursue.—Columbia State.

—Texas Woman declares that the average man's admiration for peek-a-boo wists and open work hose comes of his seeing such things on some other man's wife. Texas Woman is the only paper in the State edited by a mind-reader.—Houston Post.

—The question of a medical man's obligation of secrecy has again arisen in the striking case at the Gironde Assizes. In 1868 two Jonzac doctors, who caled to attend a sick person suspected it to be a case of criminal poisoning. They believed that they knew the guilty person, but hesitated to denounce him. They consulted their confreres, who said: "A crime discovered by us in the exercise of our art becomes a professional secret." This theory, however, is not universally held.—Le Petit Parisien.

—In his Columbia speech, Senator Tillman said he hoped all who didn't like his style of doing things would scratch his name off the tickets on election day. If that invitation was generally ccepted, the Senator would be astonished, we think, to find how many object to his attempt to assume the right of dictator—to be in fact, Senator, Governor and Legislature.—Columbia State.

—Yesterday we were asked if we ever saw a baldheaded woman. We answered "No—we never did, nor did we ever see a woman waltzing around town in her shirt sleeves with a cigar in her teeth. We have never seen a woman go fishing with a bottle in her pocket, sit on the damp ground all day and come home drunk at night. Nor have we ever seen a woman yank off her coat and say she could lick any man in town. God bless her, she's not built that way."—Exchange.

—What is Mr. Whitelaw Reid's proper designation—American Ambassador or United States Ambassador? The question is discussed in Notes and Queries, and it would seem that whichever form we use are bound to give offense in some quarter. If we please Washington by calling Mr. Reid the "American Ambassador," we offend Ottawa, because Canada as a matter of fact covers more American soil than the United States and strongly objects to a part monopolizing the name of the whole. The substitution of the word "American" for "United States of North America" in this connection is of quite recent date, due, it is said, to direct diplomatic action from Washington. The editor of Notes and Queries says "American" has now received official recognition, and may be used "without impropriety."—London Chronicle.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Henpeck's wife's name is Marjorie, is it not?" "Yes; but he calls her Majority." "How absurb!" "Not so very; you know 'majority rules."—Houston Post.

Fisherman (beginner)—Don't you think, Peter, I've improved a good deal since I began. Peter (anxious to pay a compliment)—You have, sorr. But sure, it was aisy for you to improve, sorr!—Punch.

—"Yes," said the gay Lothario, "I called on four young ladies ast night." "Huh! You must be a quitter," snorted the poker fiend. "I'd keep on raising all night if I had a hand like that."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—"What a lovely collection of odd cups!" exclaimed a guest, peering into the china cabinet. "Did it take you long to get so many?" "Oh, no." said the hostess; "those are samples of the sets we have had in the last two years!"—Detroit Free Press.

—Comparative Stranger—What's all the excitement about? Summer Boarder—Nothing; just a lynching. The man who wrote the folders describing this place is coming down on the train.—Puck.

—"What reason have you for thinking that the thief who entered your house was a locksmith by trade?" asked the detective. "Why, I saw him make a bolt for the door," said the victim of the robbery.—Judge.

—Towne—The weather seems to be clearing up. I'm sorry now that I took this umbrella to-day. Browne—Yes, the sin is all the greater when you steal something you don't really need.—Philadelphia Press.

—"Mr. Farsyte sent me over to ask you if you'd lend him your umbreller," said the boy. "Certainly," replied Subbubs: "but what does he want with it? It isn't raining." "No, sir, but he said it was pretty sure to be raining some day soon, and he'd need it then."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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makes life now as safe in that city as on the higher uplands. E. W. Goodloe, who resides on Dutton St., in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone." Cures chronic Cough, La Grippe, Croup, Whooping Cough and prevents Pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed at all druggists. Price 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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IF you want a choice North Carolina Ham call 'Phone 547. We have some extra fine ones to-day. We carry in stock all kinds country produce in season. Will be pleased to serve one and all. S. F. Craig, 606 North Fourth street. aug 8 tf

ANY POOR GIRL IN TROUBLE will find a friend by writing to Staff-Captain (Miss) N. A. Morgan, Salvation Army Rescue Home, 5415 Lansdowne avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., or to Mrs. Adjutant Yates, 11 Church street, Wilmington, N. C. july1-tf

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Piscatorial Association will be held at the office of the undersigned, 118 1-2 Princess street, Wilmington, N. C., on the 14th day of August, A. D., 1906, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary and Treasurer. july22-tillau14

FOR SHERIFF.

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Owing to the manager, Mr. D. Archie Bulluck, desiring to engage in other persuits, the Wilmington Drug Company goes out of business this, the 4th day of August, 1906. If there are any unpaid claims against said company please present them at once for payment. All persons indebted to said company must make immediate payment. Store will remain open from 10 to 1 o'clock each day until affairs of business are settled.
aug 5 1t w 4wks D. W. BULLUCK.
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 4, 1906.

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AS WE LIVE WE GROW

In values and in stock. This is the Mid-Summer season but we have lots of new and pretty things to show. We have just placed on sale, about four hundred pieces of Nos. 60, 80 and 100 in plaids and fancy Dresden ribbons; regular price from 15c to 25c per yard, our price 10 per yard special.

We have five hundred new umbrellas, one hundred ladies' and one hundred men's, are made of the best paragon frame with a copper wire rivet, cloth the best cravenette rain proof cloth, with fancy handles; goods that would be cheap at $1.25 or $1.50. Our price for the ladies' is 89c and for the men's $1.00.

We have fifty sample rolls of matting. It is newly imported goods, each roll different from the other and is better goods than the ordinary stock as it is goods that is sent to this country as samples only, and is 25 per cent. cheaper than regular matting.

This matting runs in price 15c, 18c, 20c, and 25c per yard.

We have two rolls of 40-in wide hemp carpet. It is reversible patterns, one side being carpet pattern and one side matting pattern. Goods that is worth 35c per yard and we are showing it for 25c per yard.

In our millinery department we have received a beautiful line of silk hats and braid hats, goods that are up to date and pretty. They come in all shades and different prices from 75c to $2.25 each.

To ladies who wish pretty plumes either full length or 3-4 size, I would like to show them some samples. I have all colors and prices from $1.00 to $6.50 each.

Our flower stock we will sell for 25 per cent. less than first price.

We think the best muslin underwear is sold in the city by us.

We handle nothing but The Royal Underwear and every garment is well made, every seam doubly stitched and our prices are as cheap as any ordinary goods The best place to buy it is where you can get the best goods for the least money and we ask you to look at ours. We have garments for all prices from 25c to $1.00 each. We have them finely trimmed up as high as $3.50 each.

Tailor Made Skirts—As the Fall season is approaching we have secured a big line of ladies' skirts and I feel quite sure that you will find them cheap.

In white or cream mohair skirts we have some special values. We have about three different styles and the skirts were made to sell from $3.50 to $5.00 each; we are offering these skirts from $2.00 to $3.50 each. We also have a nice line of colored skirts from $1.50 to $7.50 each. We bought from a factory a few days ago about 80 skirts which were slightly imperfect at a great reduction and we can sell you these goods at 25 per cent. less than manufacturers' cost. They are all this Fall styles and new goods while the imperfections are oftimes so small that you would not notice them, for instance a $5.00 skirt would be about $3.00 or $3.25. This is a good chance to save money and that is what every one wants.

Boys' Wash Suits to Close Out—I will allow next week 10 per cent. discount on all good that I sell in this line. They were already very cheap but we bought too many for the size of the town and must reduce the stock. I will also offer a discount of 10 per cent. on all mohair, sicilian and serge coats for men. These are all new goods, but we consider it better to lose the 10 per cent. profit than to carry them over.

For your Fall Dress Goods in fine qualities and new styles, we propose to lead the city. The best way to prove it is to examine our line before purchasing elsewhere.

With us it is a problem where to put our Fall stock when it comes in. Our store is already full and for the next few days we will receive hundreds of cases of general merchandise. We buy from large factories and they deliver their Fall goods early and we are in a position to sell you goods this season as cheap as we ever sold them in our lives.

I want to say in relation to your dress goods bill; whether you live in this city or a thousand miles off, and you want the best goods and the prettiest styles, I ask you to give me a showing. All persons wishing dress goods samples will send 5 cents for postage, as we do not care to give the samples indiscriminately as it costs both money and the postage.

We want your Fall business. We give you the best goods for the money and premium stamps with every purchase. Our premium department is a beautiful place. It looks like a fairy corner and think! we give those things away without cost to the purchaser. Ask to see this department. Do your trading with us and get something pretty.

Remember, Geo. O. Gaylord's Department Store,
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Wilmington, N. C.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Salisbury special, Aug. 13: Charles Hairston, colored, who killed Ed. Smith, another negro, at Pine Top, at the double tracking camp near Jamestown, was captured at Whitney Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Charles C Moore. He was brought to Salisbury and turned over to the sheriff of Guilford, who came to Salisbury for him. Hairston says he shot Smith in self-defense.

—At Raleigh on Monday the Holland Manufacturing Co., of Gastonia, was chartered with $152,000 total authorized capital stock, of which $25,000 has been paid in. The incorporators are: Geo. A. Gray, T. M. Fayssoux, B. M. Holland, H. S. Heyman, C. B. Armstrong, and others, of Gastonia, Dalas and Gilbert. The objects of the concern are to manufacture yarns, cloths, and all kinds of textile fabrics from cotton, wool, silk, flax or hemp, and to manufacture and sell furniture.

—Winston-Salem special, Aug. 13: Postmaster C. A. Reynolds, who was nominated for Congress in the Fifth District by the Republican convention held at Greensboro Saturday, says he cannot agree to enter into a joint canvass with Mr. W. W. iKtchin, the Democratic nominee, as he did two years ago. Mr. Reynolds argues that it would require at least a month to go over the district, and he says he hasn't the time to do this. Besides, he has promised Prof. J. J. Britt, the Republican candidate for Congress in the Tenth District, to make a number of speeches for him during the coming campaign.

—Fayetteville correspondence Charlotte Observer: Major H. A. London, of Pittsboro, has sent a watch here for repairs that is a very valuable relic. It was made by C. Cooper & Son, London, perhaps more than three score and ten years ago. It is a very handsome gold watch, beautifully inlaid with precious stones. The watch was given to Major London by W. M. S. Ridley, an officer in the Confederate army, while lying mortally wounded before Petersburg. In giving the watch to Major London Ridley said he had no one to leave it to, and asked him to take good care of it. On the inside of one of the cases is this inscription: "From General Andrew Jackson to Wm. W. S. Ridley, 1839." General Jackson is aid to have carried the watch for several years before giving it to Mr. Ridley.

—High Point special, Aug. 14: A young man, John Nalls, of this city, disappointed in love, tried to kill himself this afternoon. He went to an isolated spot in the eastern part of the city, and taking his seat beneath a spreading oak began to empty the contents of four one-ounce bottles of laudanum, there to fall gently asleep and, as he thought at the time, never to wake again in this world. But not so. Parties passing almost an hour later found the young man almost in a dying condition. Doctors were soon on the scene and by hard work soon brought the unfortunate young man round again and tonight it is believed he will recover. The only thing that kept him from dying before aid arrived was the large dose taken, a smaler dose would have done the work.

—Richmond, Va., special, Aug. 13: A. Newberry, formerly of Plymouth, N. C., was tried here today in the police court and held on a bench warrant for a hearing in the hustings court on a charge of wife desertion. It was decided in the police court that that court had no jurisdiction in the case. Newberry was released on bail in the sum of three hundred dollars for his apearance in the hustings court. Daniel Coleman, of Norfolk, the man's counsel being his surety. Newberry has also faced a similar charge in Norfolk city, where he was also released because of non-jurisdiction of the court, being held, however, for the police of this city. Newberry claims that the offense, if offense has been committed, was committed in the North Carolina town, where the separation between himself and his wife is alelged to have occurred.

—High Point special, Aug. 14: Standing in the office of the Tate Furniture Company this afternoon was Mr. R. C. Gray, of Milwaukee, Wis., who was there on business with Mr. A. E. Tate. A few moments later Mr. Gray was lying on the floor unconscious from an acute attack of appendicitis, and at this hour is in the Junior Order hospital in a very dangerous conditon. An examination will be made to ascertain the progress of the disease, which has had a hold upon Mr. Gray for sevral days without his knowledge of what it was. Mr. Tate had been talking to him in his office only a few minutes before and had gone into the factory for something at the time of the attack.

—A dispatch from Washington to the Raleigh News and Observer on Monday says: Representative Blackburn has not given up hope of bringing about the removal of United States District Attorney Holton, and there is absolute authority for the statement that the Congressman has recently presented to officials at the Department of Justice documents which he hopes will bring about such a result. Mr. Blackburn, it is understood, makes the charge that the District Atorney was a party to a conspiracy to work up evidence to be used against him in his trial at Greensboro, which resulted in his acquittal. Marshal Millikan is alleged to be the other conspirator, though it is not definitely known whether charges have been prefered against that official.

—Fayetteville correspondence: A negro, in convict's garb, smoking a cigar, and laughing and chatting with the little boot black who was polishing the convict's shoes attracted considerable attention here Saturday afternoon as he sat perched in the boot black's chair in a jam on the street. He was a "trusty" and had been sent in from the county chaingang to o some shopping for the guards. He seemed happy and said that his ideal of happiness was to have someone else to shine his shoes.

—Fayettevile correspondence: The schedules on the Raleigh and Southport Railroad have been somewhat changed. The train that has heretofore left Fayetteville at 6:15 A. M. now leaves at 7:15. The one that has been leaving here at 3:40 P. M. now leaves at 5:30 o'clock, making connection with the Atlantic Coast Line southbound trains. A person may now leave Fayetteville in the morning and go to either of the three capital cities—Raleigh, Richmond, or Columbia—Wilmington or Charlotte, spend several hours and return the same day. Every hour through the day and night, on an average, a first-class passenger train either leaves or arrives in the city.

—Greensboro special, Aug. 13: The refusal of Governor Glenn to remit the sentence of imprisonment on ex-Revenue Officers G. W. Samuel and J. W. Hasty for the assault and battery on Editor Deal at Wilkesboro, to a fine was generally expected here, and is generally commended by all who have kept up with the case in Wilkes, and the subsequent developments in the trials of the revenue officers in the Federal court here. Both men are out on bond, but their friends here say they will at once surrender themselves to the jailer at Wilkesboro and begin the service of their sentence. Their being in jail when the special term of the Federal court meets here the first Monday in September, to review the trials of revenue officers indicted for alleged frauds against the government, will in all probability work a continuance of all the cases. Samuel has already been convicted in this court, and sentence was defered, awaiting the disposition of other cases. One of these to be tried is against Hasty, indicted for conspiracy with distillers, false reports, etc.

—Charlote Observer Aug. 14: The accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of young Virgil Funderburk yesterday morning about 9 o'clock instantly killeld the 10-year-old sister of the boy. The accident occurred at the home of the parents of the children, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Funderburk, just north of the city, on the Salisbury road. Virgil, who is a youth of 17 years, was cleaning his gun when his litle sister, Della, came into the room to watch him. Virgil, not realizing that the gun was loaded, was oiling a trigger. He cocked the gun. In handling the arm he let the trigger fall, with the result that the gun was discharged, the load entering the little sister's mouth and horribly mangling her face and head. The report of the gun attracted the parents of the children and one or two neighbors, who summoned a physician and did all they could for the little girl. All efforts were vain, however, for the little one died instantly. The parents were almost prostrated at the death of the child, the only daughter; and Virgil, who was the unintentional cause of the death, was almost franctic with grief.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Aug. 13: George Hall, under sentence of fifteen years in the State's prison, and J. R. Gentle, under indictment, both concerned in the matter of the lynching in Salisbury when three negroes on trial for the murder of the Lyerlys were put to death, are now in the State's prison. The penitentiary doors were opened to receive them under instructions from Governor Glenn, who desired to relieve the situation in Salisbury. Hall is pending his appeal to the Supreme Court, based on a question raised of the court's legality, it having been called by the Governor while he was out of the State, and Gentle, now under indictment, until his trial at the extra term of the court, it being concluded that the safest place for the men at present is in the State's prison. The men were brought here in charge of civil officers, coming on the train with the military companies from Salisbury and Statesville, which were on their way to the North Carolina National Guard encampment near Morehead City. They reached the State's prison a little after five o'clock Sunday morning. As they are held subject to the orders of Governor Glenn and are not yet through with the courts, they are not required to wear prison stripes or engage in labor with the convicts.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Aug 14: In the Federal Court yesterday Judge Purnell heard the application of receivers Belvin and Maxwell, of the Cape Fear Power Company, for a sale of the property of the corporation, consisting of a dam and large quantities of machinery at and near Buckhorn Falls and the electric line which has been run to Fayetteville. Messrs. Manning and Foushee, of Durham, were present representing the defendant corporation and opposed the order of sale, making a motion that the court authorize the issuance of receivers' certificate with which to put the plant in running order. They filed affidavits from two engineers, Messrs. Hawks and Scruggs, that the necessary work to complete the plant and start it in operation would involve a cost of only $10,000, which was the amounts of receivers' certificates named in their motion. Mr. R. T. Gray, attorney for the receivers, then asked and obtained of the court time in which to file counter affidavits to those of the defendant corporation as to the amonut of money necessary to complete the plant. These affidavits will be ready by Saturday when the matter of the sale of the property will be considered by the court upon the affidavits of the defendant corporation and those procured by the receivers. It was stated yesterday that the affidavits of the receivers which will be filed on Saturday will place the cost of completing the plant at from $50,000 to $60,000.

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Excursions—Rutherfordton and Chester to Wilmington, N. C.

The S. A. L. will operate an excursion from Rutherfordton and Chester to Wilmington August 14th-16th. Same rates and schedules will apply on this train as on similar excursions operated between these points July 17th-19th.

C. H. GATTIS,
Travelling Passenger Agent.
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Excursion to Charleston.

The Atlantic Coast Line will operate an excursion from Wilmington to Charleston and return, leaving Wilmington Saturday, August 25th, on the regular train at 3:45 P. M. Extra coaches will be provided for the accommodation of this business. The rate will be 3.50 for the round trip, tickets limited to return to Tuesday, August 28th. **

In Self Defense

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked, four years ago, by Piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of Burns, Sores, Cuts and Wounds. 25c. at all druggists. **

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Turn backward, O time, in your flight,
Make me a child again just for to-night,
"I'll do it," cried time, "just let me be
Until I fix some Rocky Mountain Tea."
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HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

The Co-ed System

[Original.]

Miss Rose Harding was trying to beat the three R's into the heads of the ignorant in a small schoolhouse located in the midst of a sheep raising country in the far west. Miss Harding was the daughter of those who had been wealthy in the east. Her father had died insolvent, but, fortunately for Rose, he had given her a college education. The laws of supply and demand work the same in education as anywhere else. Where there is the most ignorance there is the greatest need for teachers. At any rate, Miss Harding received an offer in Montana and accepted it. She was surprised to find her scholars of mixed ages, ranging from ten to twenty-six years old. But she had no difficulty in arranging her classes, for the oldest scholar knew no more than the youngest. But it was hard work. Rose had taken prizes in college and was fitted to instruct young people of advanced scholastic attainments in the sciences.

One morning while she was trying to teach her scholars how to spell "yacht" and such other words in the English language as are spelled farthest from their sound a sheep herder rode up to the schoolhouse door and asked if any one had seen a flock of sheep in the neighborhood. Miss Harding put the question to her scholars, and all answered in the negative. While this was being done the sheep herder was regaling his eyes with the sight of the refined and comely Miss Harding. Such a sight, especially at that time, was not usually to be had in that region, and the herder evidently did not propose to let the opportunity slip.

"Say, miss," he said, "do you think you could drive any larnin' into my noddle?"

The teacher looked at him scrutinizingly. He did not look at all stupid, though he might not even know his letters.

"That would depend upon what help you would give me in the matter."

The young man threw himself from his horse and, hanging the reins to a hook screwed to the cabin for the purpose, went in and took position in the spelling class."

"Fire away, schoolmarm," he said.

"Spell the word salt."

"S-o-l-t."

"Try again."

"S-o-u-l-t."

"Try again."

"S-a-u-l-t."

"Once more."

"S-a-w-l-t."

There was a smile on the teacher's face. Although her new scholar was evidently more unteachable than any of her other scholars the lines of his face were entirely unlike theirs. There was something incongruous in his ignorance and his physiognomy.

"Teacher," said a gawk of twenty-three, "I kin tell you how to larn him how to spell it. Tell him if he gets it right next time he kin kiss the purtyest gal in the room."

There was a shout of approval of this proposition, but Miss Harding demurred. However, since her scholars would have it so, assuming that "the purtyest gal" meant those among the scholars she reluctantly consented.

"Very well," she said, "try again."

"S-a-l-t," snapped the herder and advanced to take his reward of the teacher. Blushing a rosy red, she ordered him back, telling him that she was not included. There was an uproar among the scholars and much pouting among the girls, for the herder, since he could not kiss the teacher, would kiss none of them.

"You have struck a vital principle in pedagogy," said Miss Harding to the herder. There was a twinkle in her eye. Perhaps it came from a suspicion that he knew how to spell the word salt from the beginning. "Some day you may be a teacher yourself and can introduce your stimulant among the co-eds."

The herder looked at her scrutinizingly, as if he suspected some covert meaning in her remark.

"What's co-eds?" he asked.

"I once listened to a very interesting lecture on the subject by a young professor, Larned Eton. When you learn to read I'll give you a copy of it taken from a magazine in which it was published."

This, especially the mention of the name Larned Eton, had a marked effect upon the herder. Her words "when you learn to read" were spoken in a satirical tone. Even the thick headed scholars got an idea that there was some game going on between their teacher and the herder. Dropping his western way of speaking, the latter said:

"I fear the plan would not be allowed in the co-ed system of the more conventional east."

"I marvel," she replied, "that one who cannot spell a word of one syllable should know the meaning of a word of two—co-ed."

"I don't. I once thought I understood the word co-ed, but lately I have concluded that my principles were entirely wrong. I have today discovered that the college you attended was altogether too near the one"—

"You attended."

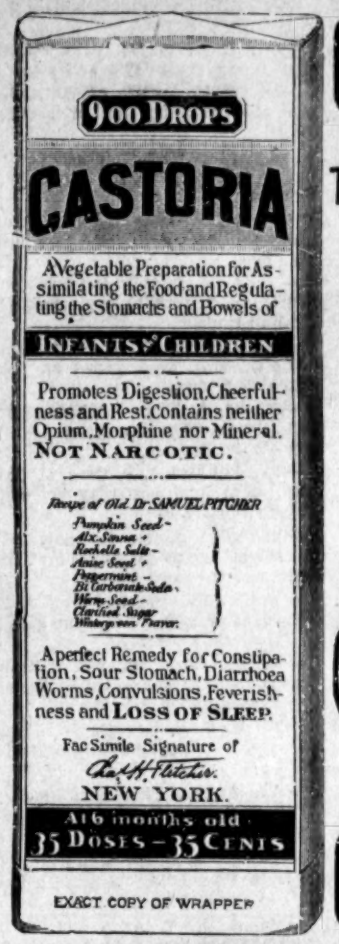
"I surrender. Your presence in that audience has spoiled my little game."

"I knew you the moment you rode up to the door, professor. How came you to leave a field in which you were calculated to shine to take up sheep raising?"

"My mother is at the ranch. She will call on you, and when you visit us I will tell you."

And, mounting his horse he rode away, leaving the gaping scholars in a state of wonder.

AGNES DEAN MORROW.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Wednesday Morning, Aug. 15.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 14, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Tuesday, August 14th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01, rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.60.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 8 feet.

Weather Forecast.

Fort North Carolina—Local rains, Wednesday and Thursday; light variable winds, mostly southerly.

PORT ALMANAC—Aug. 15.

Sun Rises .....5:18 A. M.
Sun Sets .....6:50 P. M.
High Water at Southport, 4:25 P. M.
High Water at Wilington, 6:55 P. M.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Painters and decorators from Charlotte are expected here to-day to begin work at The Orton.

—Services First Church of Christ, Scientist, this evening at 8:15 o'clock; Odd Fellows' building, second floor. All are invited.

—The schooner Massachusetts, Capt. Lane, cleared yesterday for New York with cargo of lumber from the Angola Lumber Company; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. Robert Thomas Anson, a son of Mrs. Sophie Anson, of this city, and Miss Rosa I. Bate, a daughter of Mr. W. R. Bate, also of this city.

—The Star was misinformed a few days ago as to Mr. J. A. Dew being one of the committee for the Farmers' Annual Picnic at Still Bluff, Pender county. Mr. Dew writes that his name was placed on the committee without his knowledge or consent.

—George Barnes and Gary Smith, colored, charged with engaging in an affray, were arrested by Officer E. L. Smith yesterday afternoon and will be given trial before the Mayor at noon to-day.

—Henry Hill, a negro charged with stealing green corn from a field of Mr. A. O. McEachern, in East Wilmington, was found not guilty in Justice Furlong's court yesterday and was discharged. He was represented by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy.

—The steamer Wilmington will run a special excursion to the pier and return to-morrow evening, leaving the city at 7:45 P. M., and returning about 10 o'clock. The fare for the round trip will be only 15 cents and a delightful time is asured all who go.

—Through Capt. J. VanB. Metts, of this city, Capt. J. W. Hall and Lieut. J. E. Clifton, of the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry, Second Regiment, North Carolina National Guard, have tendered their resignations. Capt. Hall resigns because he expects to leave the State.

—Dawes Melvin, colored, arrested Monday on the colored excursion to Carolina Beach for carrying a concealed weapon ,was bound to Superior Court yesterday by Justice Furlong and in default of $25 bond, he went to jail. The arrest was by Deputy Sheriff W. L. Kure.

—Sergeant B. R. King, Capt. Geo. Smith and Officer E. J. Grimsley are off for their vacation from the police department. Sergeant Woolard is acting captain during Capt. Smith's absence, and Officer E. L. Smith is clerk of the police court in Sergeant King's absence. The officers in this week from their vacations are Messrs. Alex Wells, M. P. Newton and H. W. Howell.

—Raleigh News and Observer: "The Tabernacle Baptist Sunday School will have its annual excursion this year over the Raleigh and Southport and the Atlantic Coast Line via Fayville Beach. This will be the first excursion run over this new road to excursion run over this new orad to Fayetteville and through to Wilmington."

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. D. McLean, of Maxton, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. H. Mason, of Charlotte, was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mr. W. T. Aycock, of Whiteville, was here yesterday on a business trip.

—J. O. Carr, Esq., returned yesterday from a professional trip to Duplin county.

—Mr. W. W. Miler, of Rocky Point, spent yesterday in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. A. Abramowitz left last evening for New York to buy goods for his Fall trade.

—Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Featherston, of Goldsboro, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. B. J. Dunn, of Wadesboro, arrived yesterday to spend a few days at the beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cook, of Concord, were here yesterday on their way to the beach.

—The Star regrets to know that Col. Thos. Evans is very ill at his residence, on Third street.

—Mrs. J. B. Lane and Mrs. J. E. Person, of Fremont, N. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Marsden Bellamy have gone to northern resorts to spend the balance of the Summer.

—Mr. M. F. H. Gouverneur returned yesteruay morning from a business trip to Washington, D. C.

—Miss Swanna Pickett, of Liberty, N. C., is the guest of Miss Ida Hankins, No. 113 Walnut street.

—Mr. Jno. A. Dunn, of Morven, N. C., arrived yesterday to spend a few days in the city on business.

—Messrs. R. T. Allen and B. B. Mills, of Wadesboro, arrived last night to spend a few days at the seashore.

—Miss Josephine Giddens, of Goldsboro is the guest of Miss Mamie McGirt, at her home, Fourth and Nun streets.

—Mrs. B. H. J. Ahrens returned yesterday from Vade Mecum Springs, N. C., where she has been spending some time.

—Mr. James H. Burriss and family have returned from Carolina Beach where they have been spending a part of the Summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Strahley, of Marion, S. C., returned yesterday after several days spent very pleasantly at the beach.

—Charlotte Observer, 14th: "Mrs. W. W. Orr will leave this morning for Wrightsvile Beach, where she will spend two or three weeks."

—Mr. F. N. DeRosset, who has been spending some time at the beach, left yesterday to visit his sister, Mrs. W. L. Holt, in Fayetteville.

—Miss Elsie Rehkopf and Miss Ollie Jessen, of Charleston, S. C., are attractive guests at the home of Mr. J. D. Doscher, Third and Harnett streets.

—Mr. S. H. Strange, treasurer of the East Carolina Fruit and Truck Growers' Association, arrived last night from Fayetteville to attend the annual meeting to-day.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Jeanette Anders, of Wilmintgon, is visiting Mrs. Ralph Jessup on Haymount.——Mr. Jno. F. Harrison returned from Wrightsville Beach to-day."

—Mrs. Sidney Smith, Misses Caro Smith and Miss Maggie Bernard and Mrs. Alex. Campbell returned to Fayetteville on the steamer C. W. Lyon yesterday after spending several days at the Seashore Hotel.

—Friends of Miss Bessie Sears will be glad to know that a recent operation which she underwent for appendicitis in a New York hospital was very successful and that she is now on the road to recovery.

—Col. and Mrs. A. M. Waddell will leave to-day for Saluda, N. C., where they will spend some time. Mayor Waddell will be on his vacation for a month and Mayor Pro Tem O'Brien will be chief executive during his absence.

—Mr. Thos. W. Alderman, who is pleasantly remembered as having formerly been city ticket agent for the Seaboard Air Line in this city, spent a few days at the beach the past week and was cordially greeted by many Wilmington friends.

—Mrs. J. H. Swinson and daughter, Miss Laura Swinson, of this city, are spending some time quite pleasantly in Asheville, N. C. Returning home they will go by Greensboro where they will spend a few days, the guest of Mrs. Swinson's daughter, Mrs. A. C. Boney, of that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Edwards leave this morning for Goldsboro on the sad mission of attending the funeral of the wife of Mr. Edward's brother, who passed away yesterday afternoon at 2:40 o'clock. A little infant of Mrs. Edwards died two weeks ago so that in her death now Mr. Edwards has suffered a double bereavement.

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ALDERMEN TANGLED

(Continued from page one.)

taken and that surrounding property would in no wise be jeopardized. He said unofficially that there had been talk of removing the Standard Oil plant away from Wilmington but, as a Wilmingtonian, he had pleaded with the company to remain here and would be disappointed if any breach of faith on the part of the city would accentuate an already prevailing opinion with his people that the large business here could be handled more economically elsewhere. The members hastened to explain how they had misunderstood the corner that it was desired to build the tank on and one after another they made excuses as to why objection had not been made before.

There was a disposition to shift the responsibility to the Fire Commission to which the application was originally referred. According to the newspaper report of the proceedings the Board approved the report of the Commissoin on May 7th., allowing the tank to be placed just east of the present tanks down the hill. It appears later that the company could not get the land for the tank near its other property and made an application to place the same at southeast corner of Second and Brunswick streets. The application was in writing and the property was described in detail. Acording to the report in this paper the matter came up on June 18th at a special meeting and the permission was granted at a full meeting of the Board. It is recalled that in passing the matter hurriedly, some one explained that it was merely changing from one corner to another and it was passed without objection. To a rank outsider the situation is amusing. It will be interesting to see the final outcome of the matter. The official records will be searched diligently and before it is all over with, the responsibility for the permit will no doubt be placed. It appears, however, that the original application of the company is not among the clerk's papers. Copies of the same are, however, retained by the Standard Oil people.

The protesting property owners have addressed the following petition to the Board:

Wilmington, Aug. 11, 1906.

To The Hon. Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington:

We, the undersigned property owners, living in the vicinity of Second and Brunswick streets, hereby wish to enter our protest at the action of the Standard Oil Company in erecting the large tank on top of the hill at Second and Brunswick and ask of you protection. We believe this large tank on top of this hill is a menace and great danger to all this section of the city and materially decreases the value of our property. We respectfully ask that you will not allow the erection of said oil tank.

Signed: T. H. Wright, D. J. Prease, W. G. A. Otersen, W. McD. Evans, J. P., Sarah Evans, J. S. Grimes, J. P. Chapman, Jno. Chapman, E. S. Knight, Mrs. S. H. Terry, Mrs. Bessie Raynor, Jesse H. Haskett, George H. Davis, Robert Robbins, H. W. Konig, S. Bear, Sr. & Sons, J. O. Reilly, agt., George H. Heyer, B. C. Moore, A. Mayronichols, M. G. Tiencken, J. H. Streeter, W. Gaylord, F. T. Skipper, H. F. Wilder, H. L. Fentress, Elijah Chadwick, C. P. B. Mahler and C. C. Chadbourn.

Alderman O'Brien's name is not signed to the petition, but he too has renting property which he recently improved there and he is confronted with an exodus of all his tenants, he says, unless the tank is removed. Mayor Pro Tem. O'Brien will preside at the meeting to-mororw as the Mayor leaves for his vacation to-day.

RSPITE BROUGHT TO THEM

Official Documents Placed in Hands of Adams and Sawyer.

Mr. J. T. Sharp, of Raleigh, chief office deputy for United States Marshal Claude Dockery, arrived in the city yesterday morning and called at the county jail, delivering to the mutineers, Adams and Sawyer a copy of the respite recently granted them by the President of the United States in order that their petition for pardon might be fully heard. The prisoners were condemned to die on Friday of this week, but the respite recently granted is to the first of November. Mr. Sharp went to the jail alone and delivered the official documents for which the prisoner expressed thanks.

There is nothing new in the case of Adams and Sawyer. Their attorneys, Messrs. Rountree and Peschau, are still busily engaged on the case and have hopes yet of securing an unconditional and absolute pardon for their clients. District Attorney Skinner has been here the past few days and has been incidentally informing himself along the lines of the efforts being made for the pardon of the negroes. The opinion prevails that if the prisoners do not get an absolute pardon that they will receive a commutation to life imprisonment.

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Like a great lion's cheek teeth.

Those on the peninsula of Penninis, especially if they are seen in mist, Menawar (pronounced man-of-war), the Maiden Bower, Mincarlo, Shipman's Head, the Haycocks at Annet and many others are strikingly grand. The curious resemblance to primeval animal forms has given rise to many of the names of these rocks and certainly many are

Like a great sea beast, crawled forth to sun itself,

while there are "elephants' tusks," "monks' cowls," "pipers' holes," "giants' castles," "pulpit rocks," etc.—London Spectator.

HAIR AND COLOR.

Red Is Much Nearer Allied to Black Than to Blond.

The color of the hair, says the Grand Magazine, is usually transmitted from parents to child. This is especially true when both parents have the same complexion. Instances, however, are not uncommon where children have hair black as ebony, while the hair of both parents is a burning red. Instead of disproving the theory that a child takes after its parents, so far as the color of the hair is concerned, this fact, it has now been ascertained, is all in favor of the doctrine. Red hair, in fact, is by its structure and composition much nearer to black hair than to blond.

Very often if the hair of a very dark complexioned person be examined attentively a few quite red hairs will be detected in the mass. On the other hand, it would be time wasted to seek for black hairs in the locks of a fair person. Similarly it is not infrequent to notice children whose hair, red at birth, becomes as they grow older quite dark. When, too, after some serious illness, the production of the coloring pigment of the hair falls off, black hair becomes not blond, but red. Fair hair, which to a casual eye appears to have much more affinity to red hair than to black, is, on the contrary, quite distinct.

Valued Religious Relics.

The collection of religious relics to be seen in the church of the Corsican village of Sisco is undoubtedly unique. The inhabitants of this pretty little place are exceedingly devout and very simple, which probably accounts for the possession of such a remarkable collection. A writer in L'Independence Belge gives the following list of the principal items: The horn used by Moses to call together the children of Israel while in the desert, a tuft of that red hair which was the pride of Esau and the despair of Jacob, a piece of the nail of the little toe of the left foot—the statement is very precise—of Enoch, the patriarch; the bib worn by the infant Jesus, the curb and crupper of the ass that took the holy family into Egypt and several relics of various

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ENGLISH ELECTIONS.

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Although there are strict laws against bribery in the English elections, standing for a seat in parliament is by no means an inexpensive matter. Even a small constituency will cost not less than $3,000, and the expenses run from that up to $10,000.

At one election a candidate paid out on an average of $50 for each vote, but this is regarded as the record price, the cost running as low as $1 a head.

The purchasing of a vote disqualifies the candidate, even though he may be innocent of any participation in the bribery, and as a result candidates and their workers—"agents" they call them in England—are most careful that their actions shall be above suspicion.

Dinners may be served a constituency, but payment even to the women of a family is regarded as bribery, and the candidates are compelled to trust to speeches, house to house convasses and literature, both for hand distribution and in the form of posters.

The Unsatisfied Bachelor.

"I have not married so I may have a quiet life," said the bachelor. "Had I married a good wife I would have been afraid to lose her; a bad one, I would have been unhappy. Had I taken a poor girl we would have lived wretchedly; a rich one, and she would have had cause to taunt me with her money. Had she been ugly I could not have loved her; beautiful, and I would have been eternally jealous. Therefore I have not married, and yet life is a nuisance."—New York Press.

The Lion's Share.

It is really not the male lion, with his terrific roar and formidable appearance, that the explorer fears, but his mate. The male lion is a good looking poser, but when it comes to business it is his wife who counts, a la the African native. Game is pulled down by the female lion, and then the male beats her off until he has feasted to repletion, when she may have what is left; hence "the lion's share."

An Eye to Business.

"I thought, Alice, that you were engaged to Harry Smith, and now I hear you are going to marry his father."

"That's right, Maude. The old gentleman said he could support one of us, and I decided to be that one and took the widower."

The Great Day.

Dreamy Youth—Have you noticed that there are days when we seem more in accord with the world—more in unison with nature? Practical Youth—Yes; it is always that way with me on pay day.

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Bond No. 43 for $100, due Jan. 1st, 1912. Bonds No. 54 to No. 58 inclusive, $100 each, due January 1st, 1912. Bonds No. 69 to No. 70, inclusive, $100 each, due January 1st, 1912. Bonds No. 71 to No. 97, inclusive, $100 each, due January 1st, 1917. Bonds No. 33 to 48, inclusive, $500 each, due January 1st, 1912. Bonds No. 49 to No. 65, inclusive, $500 each, due January 1st, 1917.

The holders of said Bonds are notified to present same for payment at the Atlantic National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., on or by the 15th day of August, 1906, after which date interest on said bonds will cease.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county.
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Chairman.

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Dr. James McKee, Superintendent of the N. C. Central Hospital, Surgeon Southern Railway, etc., etc., writes:

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 2, 1904.

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Gentlemen:—One year ago to-day I left the Mecklenburg after spending a very pleasant month, and one that was exceedingly valuable to me, as having restored me to health after having been confined with an attack of Rheumatic Gout. Very truly,

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Superintendent.

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THE COAST LINE IS REPRESENTED

Big Meeting of Railroad Officials in Atlantic City to Study Provisions of Rate Bill—Hon. W. G. Elliott There.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 14.—More than sixty lawyers representing all the larger railroads east of the Mississippi River, particularly those traversing the territory south of the Ohio River and the New England States, assembled here to-day to make a detailed study of the provisions of the railroad rate bill which goes into effect on Wednesday, August 29.

The members of the conference consist of the chief counsels, general solicitors and other members of the legal departments of the railroad corporations.

Former Judge Edward Baxter, of Nashrville, Tenn., special counsel to several of theleading southern railroad companies, the Presiding officer, said: "This meeting of attorneys was called by the executive and traffic officers of the railr ads east of the Mississippi River and south of the Ohio River. Counsel of all the eastern trunk lines were also invited to participate in the meeting, although we afterward learned that the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore and Ohio and the New York Central road with some other companies, were holding a meeting of their own.

Among those present at the conference are J. M. Culp, third vice-president, H. B. Spencer, general manager, L. Green, freight traffic manager; S. H. Hardwick, passenger traffic manager; Alfred P. Thom, general counsel, all of Washington; Alexander P. Humphrey, general counsel, Louisville; Hamilton McWhorter ,assistant general counsel, Atlanta, Ga., representing the Southern Railway; L. Russell, general counsel, Mobile, and Ohio Railroad, Mobile, Ala.; John I. Hal, general counsel, Georgia Southern and Florida; Edward Colston, general counsel, Queen and Crescent. Cincinnati; H. L. Stone, general counsel, Louisville and Nashville, Louisville; W. G. Elliott, general counsel, Atlantic Coast Line, L. R. Watts, general counsel, Seaboard Air Line; Charles L. Hamlin, Boston and Maine Railroad, and others.

MR. HAMILTON SCOOPS SUCKERS

Got Money by Pretending that She Would Marry Victims.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Aug. 14.—A third complaint against Mrs. Helen Hamilton, who was arrested last Friday on complaint of James C. McClelland, of Philadelphia, on a charge of having obtained money from him on promises of marriage, was made to the Federal authorities to-day by a man who discribed himself as Count Gregory Sealimoff, a fifth avenue furrier. He said that he had become engaged to marry Mrs. Hamilton and had advanced her about $1,000. Mrs. Hamilton was arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields to-day on complaint of Leo. Kinsel and Sealimoff and held on her own recognizance for a hearing on September 26, at which time there will also be an examination into the charges preferred against her by McClelland.

McClelland was the first to have the woman arrested, alleging that he gave her a $600 diamond ring and $200 in cash. The second warrant was sworn out by Kinsel who alleges that under promise to become his wife, she got $2,000 from him at one time and $2,500 at another. Sealomoff is the third victim of ahe deceiver, alleging that he is out $1,000.

NEGRO DESPERADO HOLDS TRAIN

Compelled Engineer and Trainmen to Run to Suit Him.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Decatur, Ala., Aug. 14.—A Louisville and Nashville freight train reached here from Birmingham today practically under the control of a desperate negro. The trainmen were compelled to obey the negro's instructions as to where the train should stop and what speed the engineer should run his engine from Newcastle to this place, a distance of 65 miles. Threatening to kill the first man attemping to molest him, he sent the train through to Decatur, where by a ruse of the engineer the train was sent into the shopyard and with the assistance of five other men the negro was captured. It is believed he is wanted for some crime and adopted this method to escape.

COAST LINE OPERATOR KILLED.

Struck By Lightning at His Key in Virginia.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., Aug. 14.—Stewart Battaile, telegraph operator for the Atlantic Coast Line Railway at Acre, near Petersburg, was instantly killed this evening by lightning. He had his seat at the operating table, there was a vivid flash of lightning, followed by a terrific thunderclap, and a few minutes later he was found sitting at the table, his head thrown back and his right hand near the key of the instrument. An examination proved him dead. There were the marks of lightning upon him. His death was instantaneous. The table at which he had been working was wrecked, and all the wires running ito the station were damaged.

OUTRAGE BY NEGRO SOLDIERS.

Fired Volley in Streets of Texas Town, Killing One.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Brownsville, Tex., Aug. 14.—Evidently angered because of a search made among their ranks in an effort to apprehend a negro who attacked Mrs. Evans at her home here last evening, and who, she asserted, was a negro soldier, members of a battalion of negro Federal troops stationed at Fort Brown, near here, entered Brownsville today, became unruly and fired several volleys down Main street. As a result Frank Natus, a barkeeper, is dead and Policeman Dominge is wounded, his arm and hands shattered by a bullet. His horse was hot from under him. The battalion of Fort Brown is composed of Companies B., C., and D Twenty-Fourth Infantry.

Representations have been made to the oGvernor, a request being made that the negroes be romved immediate ly to avoid further trouble.

AWFUL CRIME IN FLORIDA.

People Seeking Fiend Who Attempted Murder and Assault.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 14.—An unknown man entered the home of Henry Davis, near Baldin at 2 o'clock this morning, struck him in the head with an axe as he was asleep beside his wife, then made a desperate attempt to assault Mrs. Davis. Other members of the family were aroused and the man escaped through a window. Mrs. Davis was bathed in blood from her wounded husband, who is in a critical condition. A posse of neighbors has been out all day ith dogs hunting for the assailant. Mrs. Davis says she could not tell whether the man was black or white. The entire neighborhood is excited and threaten speedy punishment if the man is captured.

THE MACHINIST.

His Work Ranges From a Needle to a Battleship.

"There is, perhaps, no other trade and very few professions," writes William Haddow in the Technical World Magazine, "that require the high order of intelligence, the study, the application, the real hard headed common sense, the surgeon's delicacy of touch, for instance, in fitting of fine work, that the machinist's trade demands to give the excellent work and the interchangeability of parts found in the modern rifle or sewing machine. The range of his work is from a needle to a battleship; from automatic machinery that 'would talk French had it one more movement' to measuring machines guaranteed not to vary more than the fifty-thousandth part of an inch from the absolute. This precision will perhaps be better appreciated when it is remembered that 150 times this limit of variation is only equal to the diameter of the average human hair. Standard plug and ring gauges, to take a specific example, are so accurately fitted to each other than the expansion due to the warmth of the hand, if the plug be held in it for a few moments, will make it impossible to insert the plug in the ring, while if the ring be expanded in the same way the plug will drop clear through it.

"When the machinist has become skillful enough to fulfill the above requirements he may receive from $2.50 per day up to whatever he can make himself worth and prove it."

OIL PAINTINGS.

With a Little Care They May Easily Be Cleaned.

Many a good picture that has looked dark and dirty for years from having been exposed to the dust can easily be cleaned and freshened in a very simple way. The picture should be taken from its frame and dusted carefully with a soft cloth. Peel a large potato and cut it in half, go over the whole picture with a sponge that has been dipped in tepid water, then with the flat side of the potato rub the surface of the picture with a light circular movement, being careful not to press too heavily on the canvas. The potato will soon begin to loosen the dirt and the colors underneath will begin to show brighter. When all the stains and dirt have been removed the picture should be sponged again in warm water, care being taken to wash off any starch that may have been left from the potato.

In case the picture is badly cracked as little water as possible should be used, as it is apt to ooze under the paint and do some injury.

Many oil paintings are injured by the dampness from the walls on which they are hung. The dampness is apt to cause the canvas to decay, and there are few canvases made to resist its attacks. To prevent this particular form of decay the back of the canvas should be painted when perfectly dry with white lead.

The Lynchburg (Va.) Cotton Mill Company has announced that on next Monday it will increase the wages of all employes ten per cent. Five hundred and fifty employes are affected by the order.

August and September—Platt and Haar—114 Market Street. **

CANDIDATE FOR LYNCHING.

Diabolical Deed of Negro Whose Brother Was Lynched.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 14.—A special to the State from Greenwood says:

One of the most diabolical attempts at criminal assault possible was made today upon the person of Miss Jennie Brooks, the 20-year-old daughter of J. ing agents instructions to comply P. Brooks a prosperous merchant and farmer near this place, by a negro named Bob Davis. Brooks had absented himself temporarily, leaving the young lady in charge of the store. The negro, after making some purchases, grabbed up a meat knife and said: "You are what I want." Seeing an iron bar the young woman made an attempt to defend herself, whereupon the egro slashed her across the throat, making a gash four inches long and almost severed two of her fingers. A posse of 1,000 men is in pursuit of the negro and if caught he will probably be lynched. Davis' brother was lynched twelve years ago for assaulting a white woman.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

Fine of $100.00 Imposed for Substituting Labels.

(Special from St. Louis Globe Democrat.)

St. Louis, Aug. 14.—Jacob, alias James Goldgraber, a saloon-keeper of 2300 Market street, St. Louis, Mo., recently indicted by the Grand Jury for using Anheuser-Busch Budweiser labels, taken from empty bottles and putting them on bottles containing beer brewed by other brewers and selling same as Budweiser, was convicted and fined $100 in Judge Moore's court.

The case was vigorously prosecuted by Campbell Cummings and is the first of several similar proceedings in which he will appear for the brewery. The case was begun Monday and continued Tuesday until the jury went out at 3:30 P. M. Within an hour and a half a verdict of guilty was returned against Goldgraber, but Henry Stelman, who was a co-defendant was discharged.

The evidence showed that Goldgraber owns the saloon and that Stelman is employed as a bartender. The contention of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association's attorney was that his client suffered much annoyance and pecuniary loss by the practice of some saloonkeepers of substituting "Budweiser" labels for those of cheaper grades of beer.

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To Richmond, Va., account Grand Fountain, United Order of True Reformers, September 4th-11th, one fare for the round trip plus twenty-five cents.

To Roanoke Va., account National al Baptist Convention (Colored) September 12th-19th, one fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip.

To Monteagel, Tenn., account Woman's Congress, July 30th to August 20th, one fare plus twenty-five cents for round trip.

To oRanoke, aV., account National Firemen's Association, August 14th-16th, one fare plus twenty-five cents for round trip.

To Mexico City, Mex., account International Geological Congress, August 21st to September 16th at rate of one fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip.

To Toronto, Ont., account Patiarchs Militant and Sovereign Grand Lodge, September 15th-22nd, at rate of one first-class fare plus one dollar for the round trip.

To Morehead City, N. C., account N. C. Division United Confederate Veterans, August 22nd-23rd two cents per mile in each direction distanced traveled plus twenty-five cets.

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by John R Turrentine, to the Wilmington Homestead & Loan Association, on the 29th of August, 1905, and duly registered in Book 4h, pages 164-166 of the Records of the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at Public Auction for cash, on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14th, 1906,

at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in Wilmington, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate in said City, beginning at a point in the Eastern line of Fifth street 99 feet South of the Southern line of Walnut street ,thence East parallel with Walnut street 165 feet; thence South parallel with Fifth street, 33 feet; thence West parallel with Walnut street 165 feet to the Eastern line of Fifth street; North with said line 33 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot No. Block 208.

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BRYAN'S FIGHT AGAINST SULLIVAN

Nebraskan Refuses to Speak In Illinois Unless National Committeeman From That State is Gotten Rid of.

(Chicago Special, 12th.)

W. J. Bryan has gone a step further in declaring warfare against Roger C. Sullivan, and it seems apparent that the Peoria convention Thursday is to be a case of "blood to the bridle bits."

The latest from across the waters, where Mr. Bryan is pow-wowing with crowned heads and others, is that the "orator of the Platte" refused to speak in the Illinois campaign unless the State convention Thursday succeeds in dethroning the Sullivan forces, which are to win control of the Democratic machine in Illinois.

In a letter to Ben F. Caldwell, candidate for Congress in the Twenty-first district, Mr. Bryan gave the assurance that he would not take any part in the Illinois campaign as long as it was "not in the hands of our friends."

On top of this statement to Mr. Caldwell comes the cabled declaration of Mr. Bryan that he cares little or nothing for an indorsement from the Illinois Democratic State convention if it has to come at the hands of Roger Sullivan.

"It is immaterial to me whether Illinois indorses me or not," Mr. Bryan is quoted as saying. "But it is very important that the Democracy of that State repudiate Sullivan and his methods. The party must, first of all, purge itself of such leadership before it can enter courageously upon a campaign."

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(Charleston News and Courier.)

When our always bright contemporary, the Chicago Chronicle, has one of its rare lucid intervals we agree with it. Speaking of the effort of Michael Czolgosz, brother of the assassin, to obtain an appointment on the police force of Cleveland, Ohio, in order to remove the stain from the family "name," the Chronicle says: "He cannot remove the stain, because there is none. In this country every tub stands on its bottom and no upright man is condemned on account of the crimes of his relatives." The Chronicle cites the case of Edwin Booth, who died universally lamented notwithstanding the offense of his brother.

The Czolgosz case is an uncommonly aggravated one. The survivors of the family are humble people and they are not gifted with the splendid virtues and talents of an Edwin Booth. Mr. Booth's talents would have covered a multitude of sins had they been his own, but "no upright man is condemned on account of the crime of his relatives" in America. The truth is that every family has its closet and the closets are few that have no skeleton. It is never fair to estimate a man by the demerits of his kindred, although it be practically impossible for the mind to act scrupulously on this principle. The mention of one of the Pittsburg Thaws crowds the mind with the picture of the young rogue in his prison cell, but it is the part of wisdom for every man to fight against the tendency. So long as Michael Czolgosz demeans himself as an honest man, it is no matter whether he shall carry a baton or not.

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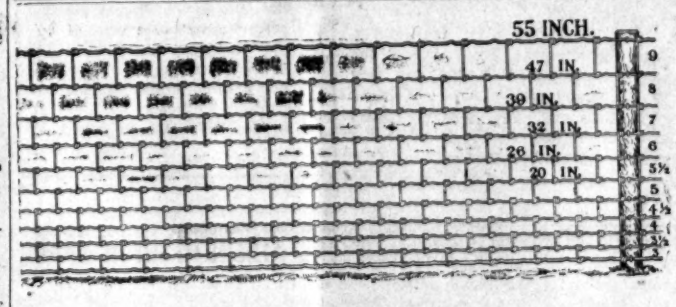

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	7.15 A. M.
And every half hour thereafter	And every half hour
until	until
11.00 P. M.	11.45 P. M.
*12.30 P. M.	

*12.30 P. M. car will wait for passengers from A. C. L., 12.05., and S. A. L., 11.59, when these trains are not over 30 minutes late

FREIGHT.

6.00 A. M	7.15 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect, May 27, 1906.

NOTICE.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 45	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12.10p m	9.32 p m
Ar Wilson	1.12 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	2.08 p m	11.00 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar. Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar. Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar. New York	7.30 a m	3.00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 42
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk		8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 53 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar. Wilson	11.46 p m	2.05 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv Wilmington	6 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9.35 am	7.40 pm	4.15 am
Ar. Columbia	12.40 pm	10.55 pm	
Ar. Charlest'n	1.20 pm	11.40 pm	7.05 am
Ar. Savannah	6.45 pm	2.50 am	9.30 am
Ar. Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa		6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8.35 p m	10.30 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5.30 p m	6.15 a m
Lv. Columbia	4.30 p m	6.45 a m
Ar. Florence	8.20 p m	9.25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	12.05 a m	1.40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9.10 a m	Ar. 8.00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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Between Wilmington and New York.

		Lv	Ar		
12.25 p	9.25 p	New York		6.30 a	4.15 p
		Lv	Ar		
2.56 p	12.19 a	Philadelphia		2.35 a	1.45 p
		Lv	Lv		
5.10 p	2.51 a	Baltimore		11.17 p	11.32 a
		Lv	Lv		
7.75 p	4.30 a	Wash'ngt'n		8.36 p	9.55 a
		Lv	Lv		
11.00 p	9.40 a	Richmond		4.55 p	6.10 a
		Lv	Lv		
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh		11.50 a	1.10 a
		Lv	Lv		
6.20 a	6.16 p	S'th'n P'n'a		9.45 a	11.06 p
		Ar	Lv		
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet		8.50 a	10.00 p
		Lv	Ar		
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet		8.40 a	7.35 p
		Ar	Lv		
1.00 p	11.59 p	Wilmingt'n		4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

		Lv	Ar		
8.24 p	9.00 a	Norfolk		5.45 p	8.00 a
		Lv	Lv		
9.00 p	9.25 a	Porthm't'h		5.30 p	7.45 a
		Lv	Lv		
2.33 a	2.10 p	Henderson		1.07 p	2.35 a
		Lv	Lv		
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh		11.50 a	1.10 a
		Ar	Lv		
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet		8.50 a	10.15 p
		Lv	Ar		
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet		8.40 a	8.40 p
		Ar	Lv		
1.00 p	11.59 p	Wilmingt'n		4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

4.05 pm	Lv	Birmingham	Ar	11.59 am
9.25 pm	Ar	Atlanta	Lv	6.40 am
10.35 pm	Lv	Atlanta	Ar	7.30 am
12.33 am	Lv	Athens	Lv	5.19 am
3.45 am	Lv	Greenwood	Lv	3.13 am
4.35 am	Ar	Chester	Lv	1.00 am
7.35 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.05 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa.

8.30 am	Lv	Tampa	Ar	6.35 pm
5.20 pm	Ar	Jacksonville	Lv	9.20 am
7.50 pm	Lv	Jacksonville	Ar	8.55 am
12.10 am	Lv	Savannah	Lv	4.45 am
4.25 am	Lv	Columbia	Lv	1.20 am
6.25 am	Lv	Camden	Lv	12.13 am
8.40 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.05 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherfordton.

		Lv	Ar	
4.30 a	3.00 p	Wilmingt'n	11.59 p	1.00 p
		Lv	Lv	
6.58 a	5.35 p	Lumberton	9.32 p	10.19 a
		Lv	Lv	
7.23 a	6.00 p	Pembroke	8.07 p	9.25 a
		Lv	Lv	
7.46 a	6.30 p	Maxton	8.44 p	9.30 a
		Lv	Lv	
8.03 a	6.57 p	Laurinburg	8.27 p	9.11 a
		Ar	Lv	
8.40 a	7.35 p	Hamlet	7.50 p	8.40 a
		Lv	Lv	
9.00 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	7.30 p	7.10 a
		Lv	Lv	
10.55 a	9.30 p	Monroe	6.55 p	5.40 a
		Lv	Lv	
11.50 a	10.45 p	Charlotte	5.00 p	5.00 a
		Lv	Ar	
4.00 p		Charlotte	10.15 a	
		Lv	Lv	
5.32 p		Lincoln't'n	8.40 a	
		Lv	Lv	
6.40 p		Shelby	7.45 a	
		Ar	Lv	
8.00 p		Ruth'fort'n	6.30 a	

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Local Time Table.
Goldsboro and Beaufort, N. C.
In effect June 10, 1906.
Eastern Time.

STATIONS.	Daily 3 P.M.	Daily 1 A.M.	Sun. Only 5 A.M.
Lv. Goldsboro	3:40	8:00	7.00
Millers	3:50	8:13	7:10
Bests	4:01	8:21	7:18
LaGrange	4:13	8:31	7:28
Falling Creek	4:25	8:43	7:40
Kinston	4:40	8:36	7:52
Caswell	4:52	9:13	8:04
Dover	5:02	9:23	8:14
Cove	5:16	9:41	8:27
Tuscarora	5:26	9:51	8:37
Clarks	5:31	9:56	8:43
Ar. New Bern	5:48	10:10	9:05
Lv. New Bern	5:55	10:15	9:10
Riverdale	6:18	10:34	9:28
Croatan	6:22	10:38	9:32
Havelock	6:36	10.50	9:44
Newport	6:52	11:06	10.00
Wildwood	6:58	11:12	10:06
Mansfield	7:02	11:16	10:10
Morehead City	7:20	11:30	10:23
Atlantic Hotel	7:28	11:38	10:28
Ar. Morehead City	7:30	11:40	10:30
(Pier 1)	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Beaufort Annex	P.M	P.M.	A.M.
Ar. Beaufort	8:10	12:20	11:10

	Daily 2 A.M.	Daily 4 P.M.	Sun. Only 6 P.M.
Ar. Goldsboro	11:20	7:55	9:25
Millers	11:07	7:45	9:14
Bests	10:58	7:37	9:06
LaGrange	10:47	7:26	8:56
Falling Creek	10:35	7:12	8:44
Kinston	10:22	7:00	8:32
Caswell	10:08	6:46	8:18
Dover	9:58	6:36	8:08
Cove	9:41	6:20	7:54
Tuscarora	9:31	6:10	7:42
Clarks	9:26	6:04	7:36
Lv. New Bern	9:10	5:48	7:20
Ar. New Bern	9:05	5:40	7:15
Riverdale	8:43	5:15	6:51
Newport	8:11	4:43	6:21
Havelock	8:27	4:59	6:36
Newport	8:11	4:43	6:21
Wildwood	8:05	4:37	6:15
Mansfield	8:01	4:33	6:12
Morehead City	7:50	4:22	6:02
Atlantic Hotel	7:42	4:17	5:57
Lv. Morehead City	7:40	4:15	5:55
(Pier 1)	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Beaufort Annex	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Lv. Beaufort	7:00	3:35	6:15

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Southport and Carolina Beach Steam Boat Line—Schedule: Leave Wilmington daily for Carolina Beach and Southport 9:15 A. M. Leave daily for Carolina Beach 9:15 A. M. and 2:45 P M. Leaves Saturdays for Southport 4:00 A. M. and 2:00 P. M. Leaves for Beach Saturdays 2:00 P. M. Leaves Sunday for Beach and Southport 9:30 A. M. and 2.30 P. M. Leaves Beach daily 12.45 P. M. and 6.00 P. M.

J. W. HARPER.
May 6-tf.

Sometimes a classified ad. is printed which means little to the first hundred people who read it—but is "like finding money" to the one hundred and first person.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 14, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm, 58 cents.

ROSIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $2.00 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.80 per barrel for hard, $4.40 per barrel for dip and $4.40 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm, $2.00 bid; crude turpentine firm at $2.50, $4.25, $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	62
Rosin	264
Tar	58
Crude turpentine	64

Receipts same day last year—99 casks spirits turpentine, 290 barrels rosin, 74 barrels tar, 113 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Nothing doing.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—5 bales; same day last year, 9 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime 65; extra prime, 75; fancy, 80@84 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 40@44c; extra prime 50c; fancy, 55@60c; Spanish, $1.00.

CORN—Firm, 72 1-2@75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@17c. per pound; shoulders, 12 to 13c. sides dull, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 20 to 21.

CHICKENS—Dull, 12 1-2@25 for small; Growns, 30@33 1-3c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 pound.

HIDES—Dry salted, 14 to 15; green 10c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Aug. 14.—The cotton market was less active to-day and ruled irregular with close steady at a net decline of 2 to 7 points. Sales for the day were estimated at 150,000 bales. The opening was steady at a decline of 2 to 5 points which was a little better than due on the cables and in spite of a favorable weather map the market worked up during the forenoon to an advance of about 5 to 6 points as compared with the closing figures of yesterday. There was some buying for a turn on the advance and considerable covering of shorts which may have been inspired by apprehensions of a less favorable weekly bureau report at midday but this document when published proved to be without special feature and during the afternoon the market eased off under a renewal of bear pressure and liquidation by some of the early buyers. The close was at practicaly the low point of the session. The detailed weather reports published later in the day showed more moisture over the belt than indicated by the early map. Southern spot markets were 1-16 higher to ⅛ lower, generaliy unchanged. The cotton exchange will be closed on Saturday, September, preceding Labor Day for an extra exchange holiday.

Receipts at the ports to-day, 8,089, against 8,330 last week, and 9,274 last year. For week, 25,000 bales, against 25,610 last week, and 58,212 year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans, 369 bales, against 2,414 last year, and at Houston, 6,214 bales, against 5,221 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet, 20 points lower; middling upland, 10.40; middling gulf, 10.65; No sales. Futures closed steady. Prices ranged as follows:

August	9.32	9.31
September	9.43	9.41
October	9.57	9.57
November	9.63b	9.64
December	9.67	9.69
January	9.79	9.78
February	9.84	9.84
March	9.93	9.89
April	9.94b	9.91
May	9.95	9.98

The cotton exchange here will be closed Saturday, September 1, Monday, September 3, Labor Day.

Port Movement.

New Orleans—Firm, 1o 5-16; net receipts 369 bales.

Mobile—Dull, 9 3-4; net receipts, 55 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 1-16; net receipts 2,157 bales.

Charleston—Quiet.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 5 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 10 3-8; net receipts, 294 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 1-2.

New York—Quiet, 10.40.

Boston—Quiet, 10.40.

Philadelphia—Steady, 10.65.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 8,089 bales; Great Britain, 1,813 bales; Continent, 3,240 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 14,712; Great Britain, 4,.17 bales; France 303 bales; Continent, 12,040 bales.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 7,839,742 bales; Great Britain, 2,838,072 bales; France, 726,624 bales; Continent, 2,687,115 bales; Japan, 119,016; Mexico, 2,764 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Quiet, 10 1-8; net receipts, 6,214 bales.

Augusta—Quiet, 10 1-4; net receipts 11 bales.

Memphis—Quiet, 10 1-4; net receipts 22 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 10 1-2; 17 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 115 bales.

Louisville—Steady, 10 3-4.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL.

New York, August 14.—Money on call steady, 3@4, ruling rate 3½, closing bid 2¾, offered 3. Time loans strong and dull, sixty days 4½@5, ninety days 4¾@5, six months 5¾@6. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per cent. Sterling exchange firmer at 484.85 for demand and at 481.95 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.82½@4.83 and 4.85½@4.86. Commercial bils 4.81½@4.81⅝. Bar silver 65¾. Mexican dollars 50½.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s, reg	104 3-4
U. S. Refunding 2s, cou	104 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	103 1-2
U. S. 3s., cou	103 1-2
U. S. old 4s., reg	103 1-4
U. S. old 4s, cou	103 1-4
U. S. new 4s, reg	129
U. S. new 4s, cou	129
American Tobacco 4s	77 5-8
American Tobacco 6s	112
A. C. L. 4s	101 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	103 1-8
L. & N. Unified	100 3-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	87 1-4
Southern Railway 5s	115 1-2
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	98 5-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgated Copper	103 7-8
American Sugar Refining	136 5-8
American Tobacco pfd., cert.	100
Atlantic Coast Line	142
Baltimore & Ohio	122 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	92
Chesepeake & Ohio	61 3-4
Louisville & Nashville	143 1-4
New York Central	140 3-4
Norfolk & Western	92 5-8
Norfolk & Western pfd	90
Peoples' Gas	90 1-2
Reading	131 3-4
Reading 1st pfd. offered	92
Reading 2nd pfd. offered	93 1-4
Southern Pacific	79 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd.	118
Southern Railway	37 1-2
Southern Railway pfd.	99
Tenn. Coal & Iron	154 1-2
U. S. Steel	41 1-2
U. S. Steel pfd.	106 5-8
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd.	37 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	108 1-2
S. A. L., com.	—
S. A. L., pfd.	—
Standard Oil	609
Western Union	91

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—A liberal increase in contract stocks of wheat in Chicago was one of the main reasons for weakness to-day in the local wheat market. At the close wheat for September delivery was off 1¼@⅜. Corn unchanged.

	Open	High	Low	Closed
Wheat, No. 2.—				
Sept.	72⅛	72¼	71	71
Dec.	75	75⅛	73⅞	74
May	78¾	78⅞	78	78
Corn, No. 2.—				
Sept.	49⅜	49⅝	49¼	49½
Dec.	45⅛	45¼	44¾	45⅛
May	45½	45⅝	45⅛	45¼
Oats, No. 2.—				
Sept.	31½	31½	31⅛	31⅜
Dec.	32½	32½	32⅛	32½
May	34½	34⅝	34¼	34½
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Sept.	17.07	17.15	16.80	17.00
Jan.	.....	.....	.....	13.45
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept.	8.72	8.75	8.55	8.62
Oct.	8.77	8.77	8.62	8.67
Nov.	8.62	8.62	8.50	8.52
Sept.	8.87	8.90	8.75	8.90
Oct.	8.75	8.75	8.57	8.67
Jan.	8.72	7.32	7.17	7.25

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady; No. 2 Spring Wheat, ..; No. 3, 70@74; No. 2 red, 70½@71; No. 2 Corn, 50½; No. 2 yellow, 52; No. 2 Oats, 31; No. 2 white, 32½; No. 3 white, 30¼@32; No. 2 Rye, 57. Short ribs, sides (loose), $8.80@8.90; mess pork per bbl., $17.00; lard per 100 lbs., $8.52; short clear sides (boxed), $9.12@9.25. Whiskey, basis of high wines, $1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, Aug. 14.—FLOUR—quiet, unchanged.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Easy; No. 2 Red, 77 elevator. Options ¾ to 1⅛ per cent net lower. aMy 83 11-16; September, 78 1-4 December, 81¼.

CORN—Easy; No. 2, 57¾ elevator. Otions: December, 53⅝.

OATS—Easy; mixed, 37½.

BEEF—quiet; beef hams, 21.00@22.50.

CUT MEATS—Steady.

LARD—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Rio, quiet. Futures, easy. Net decline of 12 points.

SUGAR—Firm, unchanged.

POTATOES—Steady; Jersey per barrel, 1.25@1.50.

CABBAGE—Steady, unchanged.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS—quiet, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Steady, easy; prime crude F. O. B. mills, 25½@26. Prime Summer yellow, 38@½; prime white, 43; prime winter yelow, 44.

BUTTER—Fair, unchanged.

CHEESE—Steady, skims, 2@9.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 14.—The dry goods market was very strong to-day; prices advanced ¼ cent a yard. An advance of ¼ cent a yard on 4-4 sheetings will be announced to-morrow. The trade for the day lacked a little of the snap of some days last week but the volume of merchandise going out was large.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 14.—Turpentine, quiet, 61 1-2 to 62; rosin steady.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 14.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 14.—Turpentine, firm, 58 1-2; sales, 825; receipts, 1,110; shipments, 171.

Rosin, firm; sales, 408; receipts, 3,672; shipments, 289; stock, 65,220.

Quote: A. B. C., 3.70@3.77½; D., 3.95@4.02½; E., 4.10@4.15; F., 4.25; G., 4.35; H., 4.32½@4.37½; I., 4.35@4.37½; K., 4.70@4.77½; M., 4.80@4.97; N., 5.00@5.22½; WG., 4.25; WW., 5.50.

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New York—Schr. Masachusetts; 547,000 feet of lumber; cargo by Angola Lumber Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., August 14, 1906.

W. & W. Railroad—5 casks spirits turpentine; 9 barrels rosin; 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—5 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 10 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—33 casks spirits turpentine; 138 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar.

Str. Alice—27 barrels tar; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Addie May—15 casks spirits turpentine; 93 barrels rosin.

Str Lyon—7 casks spirits turpentine; 24 barrels rosin; 23 barrels tar; 33 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—5 bales cotton; 62 casks spirits turpentine; 264 barrels rosin; 58 barrels tar; 64 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Alice J. Crabtree, 325 tons, Perkins, C. D. Maffitt.

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A Mistaken Idea.

A report has been circulated that Platt & Haar would obtain possession of and move to No. 9 North Front St., in September. This is a mistake. During the balance of August and during the month of September the Little Store will be busy disposing of the present stock. Prices that will move the goods will be in evidence. You can't afford to miss this opportunity to get seasonable goods at reasonable prices. **

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A Lucky Initial Letter

[Original.]

Formerly marriages in France were all of convenience, money and family alone being considered. The wedding gifts, trousseau, etc., were all marked by the intertwined initial letters of the contracting families.

"Madame," said a young French officer in the summer of 1870 as he reined in before the chateau of Mme. Blanquet, "can you accommodate General Gignoux, commanding the Tenth division of the army?"

Mme. Blanquet was striding back and forth in great excitement. Her daughter, an attractive girl of twenty, sat in a wicker chair, evidently not especially in sympathy with her mother's emotion.

"I regret," added the lieutenant, bowing politely, "to find madame in trouble. May I ask the cause?"

"Cause enough, monsieur. My daughter was to have been married tomorrow at noon, and this morning we receive a letter from the groom expectant saying that in view of the dangers threatening France we have no business to be marrying and making merry and that the wedding must be put off."

"Has mademoiselle no brother to resent this insult?"

"I do not consider it that," replied the lady. "It is simply unfortunate. There is bad luck in a deferred wedding. Besides, M. Teterouge fulfills my requirements for a son-in-law. He has a hundred thousand francs."

"Do you mean to say that you would give your daughter to such a man after such treatment?"

"What can I do? The silver is all marked with a 'T.' The table linen is marked with a 'T.' My daughter's clothes are marked with a 'T.' Everything is marked 'T.,' and it would be impossible to change the letter."

"Has M. Teterouge a red head?"

"His hair is carrot color," put in mademoiselle.

"Silence!" snapped her mother.

"Well, madame," said the lieutenant after a pause, "I am sorry for your disappointment, but I congratulate mademoiselle on escaping, if she has permanently escaped, being united with a man of such a plebeian name. But can you accommodate General Gignoux?"

"We can accommodate any of France's defenders."

The lieutenant rode away, giving and receiving a glance from mademoiselle and—soldiers are in love what they are in war—audaciously threw a kiss. In an hour General Gignoux rode up, with his staff. After being received by madame he said to her:

"My aid tells me that you were to have a wedding here tomorrow."

"Yes, general."

"And that you have been badly treated."

"I don't say that."

"I say it, and when I say a thing those about me are accustomed to respect it. You have been insulted. The fellow should be called to account. Now I would like something to eat, madame, if you will be so good."

The next morning at 10 o'clock the general, who was to leave after midday, said to his hostess:

"Madame, you have treated us with great consideration and kindness. We owe you a return. Suppose I find a young man on my staff of better family and better fortune than the man you have in view for your daughter. How would that suit you?"

"Ah, general, there is one difficulty that cannot be overcome. All the silver plate, the table linen, my daughter's lingerie, are marked with the initial letter. Some have been embroidered at an expense of 100 francs each."

"What is the initial letter?"

"T. The groom expectant's name is Teterouge."

"Teterouge! Has he red hair?"

"Yellow, general."

"Let me see," mused the general, mentally running down a list of the names of his staff officers. "I have it. There is a fine fellow on my staff whose initial letter is on your daughter's wedding outfit. He is Lieutenant de la Tour, of noble family and an income of 100,000 francs."

"Oh, general, M. Teterouge is bourgeois and has only that much in capital."

"Hey! De la Tour!" called the general.

"Yes, general." And the aid who had engaged the quarters stepped in and saluted.

"I have a duty for you which I cannot order you to perform. You must volunteer."

"Yes, general."

"I find it is as you told me. There is need of a groom here. We are under great obligations to these good people. Would you help us out in repaying the debt by becoming the groom?"

"Have I ever failed to volunteer when critical work was to be done?"

"No."

"Then I will not fail you now. I am ready, general."

"What hour is it?" taking out his watch. "We have just time. The wedding was set for 12 noon, and the Tenth division is never late.

"Madame," he added, "I am ready to supply you with a son-in-law."

"Lucille!" called the mother. When her daughter came from the room adjoining the former said to her:

"It has been arranged that"—

"Yes, yes; I have overheard. I volunteer the same as Lieutenant de la Tour."

"Orderly," cried the general, "bring a chaplain immediately."

At 12 o'clock the couple were united, and at 12:30 the general and his staff, including the groom, rode away.

"Thanks, general," said De la Tour. "You played your part well."

"How lucky," said madame, "that his name began with the letter T!"

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Baggage Traced as Far as Baraboo, Wis.—Cashier Hering Served With Another Warrant for Forgery of $10,000 Note.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Aug. 14.—Testimony indicating that extensive preparations for flight were made by President Stensland, of the wrecked Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, and that a woman entered into these preparations, was secured by Assistant State's Attorney Olson to-day through the cross-examination of Mrs. Ellen McCracken, housekeeper for Stensland. It was learned that Stensland took with him in trunks and boxes sheets and other beddings, towels, window curtains, carpets, rugs and a silver dinner set. Some of this is said to have been traced to Baraboo, Wis., but a big trunk said to have been taken by Stensland, the detectives have not been able to get a trace of. Telegrams have been sent to all parts of the world asking the authorities to look for the trunk, which is said to be three feet high and bound with iron. The box traced to Baraboo weighed 375 pounds when it was placed on an express wagon at the Stensland home the day of the flight.

Another warrant against Henry W. Hering, cashier of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank, charging him with forging a note for $10,000, in the name of Marius S. Kirkeby was issued to-day by Judge Kersten. The warrant was signed by Kirkeby.

Folowing a conference with Judge Brentano to-day, counsel for Receiver Fetzer began preparing a petition asking that at least one of the lawyers and parties to yesterday's receivership proceedings be punished for contempt of court.

Judge Bethea, in the United States District Court to-day issued a temporary restraining order prohibiting all interested parties from interfering in any way with the assets of the Milwaukee Avenue co-operative store, the majority of stock in which is owned by Stensland, of the Milwaukee Avenue State Bank. The order was issued at the request of counsel representing the directors of the store who maintained that the store was a solvent institution and that it would be an injustice to throw the business ino the hands of a receiver. The court also continued until Thursday the hearing of a petition asking that a receiver be appointed for the store.

TRAIN WRECKED IN VIRGINIA.

Ran Into Washed Out Culvert—Sixty People Injured.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 14.—The passenger train which left Norfolk over the Southern Railway last night for Danville, Va., was derailed between South Hill and Union Level, Va., 120 miles west of Norfolk, early to-day as the result of the Washout of an iron culvert by the recent rains. The engine crossed safely but all of the other coaches of the train, four in all, left the track, and the baggage and mail cars turned over, the others only careening. Six persons were injured.

Danville, Va., Aug. 14.—An extra train sent out from Danville to the relief of the stranded passengers of Southern Railway train No. 3, which was wrecked early this morning at at Union Level, returned at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The following is a list of the injured:

T. Byron, Knoxville, Tenn., injured internally; Mrs. C. B. Allen, of Johnson City, Tenn., bruised on the side; R. C. Overton, baggage master, of Danville, bruised on body and on side of head; George N. Waitt, conductor, of Danville, bruised about body and cut on head. Frank Barnly, colored, of Lacross, Va., cut and bruised about face. All of the injured are getting along nicely and no fatalities will occur. Mr. Byron and Mrs. Allen occupied berths in the Pullman car at the time of the wreck.

LOST HIS LIFE TO SAVE OTHERS.

Train Would Have Crushed Two Women But for Brakeman.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 14.—In his successful effort to save the lives of two women, Daniel Colt, aged 21 years, a brakeman on the Ironton Railroad, lost his life to-day. His train was backing through a cut when he saw the women. The space was narrow between the track and the banks and Colt fearing they might be caught signalled to the engineer to stop. Colt's gesticulations caused the engineer to shut off steam so suddenly that the train was violently jarred. Colt was thrown under the wheels and killed.

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(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Columbia, S. C., Aug. 14.—Radical changes in credit and allowances have been made within the past few days by South Carolina cotton mills.

For a long time the mills of this section have had to extend special favors to Northern selling agents, jobbers and exporters, in the way of extra dating and exorbitant freight allowances, in order to induce them to take their product on a parity with that of the New England mills. Now, however, the Southern product has been improved and its finish bettered until the manufacturers have become in a way independent.

Captain Ellison A. Smyth, who is largely interested in cotton mills in this State, is president of the Cotton Manufacturers' Association of South Carolina, and naturally it has fallen to him to take the lead.

Commencing with the first day of the current month, the mills that Captain Smyth manages have allowed and will allow no freight rate greater than the rate to New York city, and if shipments are made to points where the freight is less than the New York rate the freight allowance will only be the actual freight paid. Also, no extra dating will be allowed, but all invoices will be as of the date of the bill of lading and a credit of only sixty days will be extended to jobbers and only ten days on goods for conversion and export.

Captain Smyth has consulted with several of the large manufacturers in the State and they have agreed to put the same schedule of terms and freight allowances into operation in their mills. Most of the members of the Asociation have given their selling agents instructions to comply strictly with Captain Smyth's practice.

FARMER'S ANNUAL GATHERING.

President McNeill Called Association to Order at Roanoke.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Roanoke, Va., Aug. 14.—The ninth annual meeting of the National Firemen's Association convened here today, being called to order by President Jas. D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, N. C. An address of welcome was made by Mayor Cutchin, of Roanoke. In the absence of President Redwood, of the Virginia State Firemen's Association, the address was responded to by President McNeill. T. E. Smith, Jr., of Akron, Ohio, Editor of the Fire Service Journal, was chosen Secretary and the convention got down to work. Among the addresses of the day was one by Chief J. R. Canterbury, of Minneapolis, who spoke of the Minnesota law which gave the firemen two per cent of the insurance written.

During the afternoon the wives and daughters of the visiting firemen were given a trolly ride to Salem and Norwich. To-night the visitors were taken on an excursion to Blue Ridge Springs.

A delayed train this afternoon brought forty delegates from Oklahoma and Indian Territories and others from California, Minnesota, Missouri and Arkansas. The convention will be in session three days.

TO PROSECUTE BUCKET-SHOPS.

Held Responsible for Embezzlement of Bank Teller at Birmingham.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 14.—The books of Albert & Clay, local brokers, with whom Alexander R. Chislom, the defaulting paying teller of the First National Bank, is alleged to have squandered $38,000 of the bank's funds in speculation, have been taken over by Assistant United States District Attorney Steale, who is prosecuting this firm, and another for their alleged connection with the defalcations, by which the bank is the loser of $97,000. A warrant is out for C. P. Smith, manager of Foster & Co., brokers, charging him with aiding and abetting Chislom's embezzlement. He is alleged to have squandered $71,500 of the bank's money, with this firm. Chislom is reported to have said today that his shortage at one time amounted to almost $150,000 but he made several winnings recently, one amounting to $30,000, which reduced his shortage to a little below $1000,000.

Rev. W. L. Attkinson has resigned the pastorate of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Chattanooga, Tenn., to become pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Sullivan, Ill. Dr. Attkinson and his congregation could not agree on the church union matter, he being an ardent unionist.

STOPPED CARS FOR CONEY ISLAND

Only way Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company Could End Constant Rioting

PEOPLE REFUSED TO PAY 10c

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By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, Aug. 14.—Following the arrest to-night of three division inspectors of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company on charges of assault in the third degree, the company shut off entirely all of its surface lines leading to Coney Island taking the position that this was the only way to stop rioting which has been in progress since Sunday morning at the points where a second fare was demanded by the company's employes. The elevated and express train services to the seashore resort were augmented. The arrested inspectors are Wm. Hefferman, Wm. C. Newberry and Frederick J. Guliver, all of whom were taken into custody on warrants sworn out by passengers who had been ejected from cars. They employes were bailed in the sum of $500, each.

The stoppage of the surface car traffic had the effect of quieting the disturbances to-night and the company claims it will not attempt to run the surface cars through to Coney Island at rush hours until the danger of rioting is past. Counsel for the company to-day wrote to the acting corporation counsel declaring that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit lines were not accorded police protection. He pointed out that the company is a legal one, according to the laws of New York State, is doing a legal business, and is entitled to police protection when its rights are assailed.

The surface cars which were stopped to-night were run during the morning and early afternoon on a winter schedule or half hour head way. There were many disputes at Neck Road and Gravesend Avenue and a number of passengers were dragged protestingly from their cars. Sheriff Flaherty, of Kings, said to-day he was prepared to swear in 1,000 deputies if the situation should demand and he did issue commissions to several. The stoppage of traffic to-night made the employment of further deputies at this time necessary.

The company has experienced but little difficulty in collecting second fares from elevated passengers to Coney Island and is depending upon this service to solve temporarily at least the existing troubles.

The Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company stopped its surface cars at the second fare limits despite threats made that actions annul the charter for these roads from Neck Road to Coney Island would be instituted.

SAN FRANCISCO INSURANCE.

First Case Against Company Refusing to Settle.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

San Francisco, Aug. 14.—The first of the insurance cases involving the earthquake clause was called for trial to-day by Supreme Judge Hebbard. The case is that of the Rosenthal Shoe Company against the Williamsburg Insurance Company. The attorney for the insurance company asked asked that the case be poseponed until opportunity is given the judges to arrange with the insurance companies for a test case. He said that the insurance companies will demand a jury trial in each case, and that unless proper arrangements are made for a test the courts will be occupied for years with insurance litigation.

The attorney for the plaintiff declared that there are no points at issue that can be settled by a test case. The court then asked the insurance attorney if he waived a jury trial and was answered "No."

The Judge then asked: "Do you demand a jury trial?" but could not get a direct answer. The attorney for the Shoe Company then announced that to save time he would formally demand a jury trial. The case was set for August 27.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Prices Three Points Lower and Close Was Quiet.

Liverpool, Aug. 14.—Close spot cotton quiet; prices 3 points lower. American middling, 5.65; low middling 5.47; good ordinary, 5.23; ordinary, 4.99. Sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, included 1,600 American. Futures opened steady and closed steady. American middling G. O. C., August 5.38@5.39; August and September, 5.35@5.36; September-October, 5.30; November-December, 5.29; December-January, 5.29; January-February, 5.31; February-March, 5.33; March-April, 5.35; April-May, 5.36; May-June, 5.37.

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Montgomery, 2; Nashville, 1.

Little Rock, 4; Memphis 1 (First game).

Little Rock, 9; Memphis, 8 (Second game, called in seventh inning, agreement).

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Roanoke-Norfolk, rain.

Lynchburg-Danville, rain.

Portsmouth, 3; Richmond, 5 (First game).

Richmond, 1; Portsmouth, 3 (Second game).

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Jacksonville, 1; Macon, 1 (called 9th, rain).

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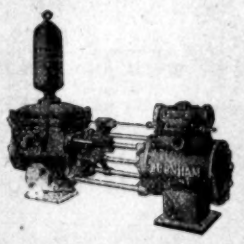

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